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THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 23, 1851.

Oregon.

Editors of the Pacific News:

In July last, I, for the first time, passed into this territory, and immediately traveled through the most settled portions. I have just returned to this city, from another jaunt over near the same ground. And most agreeably surprised have I been, at the rapid strides this beautiful country has taken in the short space of time of six months, toward civilization. The population has fully doubled since my first visit, and other things have increased in the same ratio.

Pacific City, situate on Baker's Bay, at the mouth of the Columbia river, has sprung into existence, and now numbers about 100 souls.

Astoria has fully doubled her population, and numbers about 150 persons. From this place to St. Helens, near 60 miles, nearly all the tillable land on either bank of the Columbia, between its shores and the range of high hills which completely hedge in this noble river, has been claimed, and is being rapidly prepared to yield the honest laborers a rich reward for their toil.

St. Helens is favorably situated on the Columbia, just at the lower mouth of the Willamette, though as yet, the population is small.

Milton, a town situated one and a half miles above, on the lower branch of the Willamette, has grown up since July, and now has near 100 population.

Portland, situated on the west bank of the Willamette, 30 miles above Milton, is the second town in size in the territory, and has a population of near 100. Up to this date, this place has been the first commercial town, as for a long time it was supposed large ships could go no higher in the Willamette; but it is now a conceeded fact, that any vessel can go to Milwaukie, six miles further, which can cross the bar below Portland. Therefore, Milwaukie has increased in population, since July, from about 100 to 500. The *Western Star*, a large and exceedingly well executed newspaper, is published at this place. Its politics, when it exhibits any, are Democratic.

Milwaukie possesses excellent water-power in abundance. There are now in operation three saw-mills, and a splendid mill and grist mill are now nearly completed. A beautifully modeled steamer, named "Lot. Whitcomb," in honor of the indefatigable projector of the town, has just been finished at the shipyard in this place, under the direction of a most skillful workman, Wm. L. Hanscom. It is intended to ply on the waters of the Columbia and Willamette, and to be used for towing vessels, and carrying passengers and freight to and from the ocean steamers, which stop at Astoria. It is 164 feet long, breadth over all 42 feet 7 inches; beam 24 feet, and draft three feet two inches. William Bingham, engineer, sent out by the Pacific Mail Company, has established his quarters in this town, and is fitting up an elegant machine shop. The claim just below has been selected by Capt. Hatch for a U. S. Amory and Ordnance Depot. Dr. Amos Dart, the Indian Agent, has located his head-quarters on the point of land directly opposite Milwaukie, and is proceeding to build a large warehouse, dwelling, and other buildings, for the convenience of his department. The town site of Milwaukie is one of the most beautiful in Oregon. The harbor is equal to any on the rivers, being large and perfectly safe at all times for vessels of any description.

Oregon City, six miles above, at the Falls, is the largest town, and at present the Legislature meets there. It contains about 1400 inhabitants, near one-half of whom have settled there this last Fall. It has Willamette Falls, as fine a water power as the world affords.

Lima City, on the opposite shore of the Willamette, contains a population of 120.

Salem is situated on the east bank of the Willamette, about 45 miles farther up the valley. Here is the head-quarters of the Methodist Mission, who have a fine school, flourishing exceedingly. This town, one of the oldest, contains about 500 souls.

Lafayette, the county seat of Yam Hill County, is on the west side of the Willamette; population between 200 and 300.

Marysville is situated on the Willamette, about 100 miles above Oregon City, and is fast filling up with the hardy pioneers from the Western States.

The above are the principal towns; many others are springing into existence, at every point in the Territory. The finest farming districts are up the valley from Oregon City, and about Puget's Sound. The latter district is yet but little settled. Fine specimens of coal have been found in the latter district, which fact is having its effect on the incoming crowds.

Eventually sailing vessels and ocean steamers will not think of going farther than Astoria. At this season of the year, sailing craft are from a week to sixty days getting to Portland, and in summer it takes near the same time to get down the river.

There are now running regularly from this city to Portland, the steamers Gold Hunter and Sea Gull, both of which are manned by as fine a set of officers as sail the Pacific waters. JOHN SMITH.

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San Francisco, Nov. 23. n23 tt

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PICKED UP, on the night of 25th Nov., one flat bottom boat, about 19 feet long, with a centre board, painted lead color. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges, on application to Brig. Geo. F. Williams, off India Buildings. n29 tf

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d2 E. W. COLT, Stockton.

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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

COPARTNERSHIP.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have entered into copartnership for the transaction of an Auction and General Commission business, under the firm of RISING, CASELLI & CO.
EFFINGHAM B. SUTTON,
(By his Attorney, D. B. RISING.)
DAVID B RISING,
jan13 tf ALEXANDER CASELLI.

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES H. CUTTER is admitted a partner in our firm from this date. Dec. 20th, 1850.
BEACH & WHITTEMORE,
Office 90 Liberty st., N. Y. California st. San Francisco.
jan1 tf

THE COPARTNERSHIP

HERETOFORE EXISTING under the firm of HUTTON & TIMMERMAN, is by mutual consent dissolved this day. Persons indebted to the firm will settle their accounts at once, and those having claims against the firm will present them for immediate payment to either of the parties at their place of business.
JAMES F. HUTTON,
JOHN B. TIMMERMAN.

JOHN B. TIMMERMAN will continue the business in his own name at the same place, Clark's Point, foot of Broadway.

J. F. HUTTON respectfully informs his friends and the public that he will commence business under his own name in his new store, corner Clay and Sansome streets, on its completion. San Francisco, Jan. 1, 1851. jan1 1m

COPARTNERSHIP.

WM. CAREY JONES AND CHARLES B. STRODE, Counsellors and Attorneys at Law, have formed a copartnership for the State of California. Their cases in the Supreme Court of the United States, will be represented by gentlemen of the highest legal ability. Office over Burgoyne & Co's Banking House, corner Washington and Montgomery streets, San Francisco. d14

DISSOLUTION.

THE UNDERSIGND begs leave to advise his friends and the public in general, that the partnership heretofore existing in the port of Talcahuana, Chili, under the name of ZERRANO & CO., is dissolved from the first of January, 1851, the partner, Mr. Finch, retiring from all connexion with the said house. The business will in future be carried on by the undersigned alone, who is ready to receive consignments of all descriptions, and hopes that his long experience in the purchase of produce, and in the general business of this place will entitle him to the patronage and confidence of parties trading between California and Chili. MANUEL ZERRANO.
Talcahuana, Oct. 18th, 1850. jan3 1aw4w*

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, county of San Francisco, and State of California, duly tested and dated January 4th, A. D. 1851, in the case of Wm. F. Davenport, wherein a judgment was rendered in favor of said Davenport in the sum of twelve hundred and nine 98-100 dollars against James L. Loring, besides fifty-seven 50-100 dollars costs of suit actually accrued, besides the accruing costs, and the said execution being to me directed and levied on the 9th day of the month aforesaid on the right, title and interest of the said Loring of, in and to the barque ELLA FRANCIS, her apparel, furniture and tackle, as the same now lays moored in the harbor of San Francisco, near Rincon Point. Now know ye, that on MONDAY next, the 27th inst., between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock, A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door, corner of Clay street and Portsmouth square, I will sell the interest so taken in execution to the highest bidder for cash.
JNO. C. HAYS, Sheriff.
By JNO. S. POWERS, Dep'y.
San Francisco, Jan. 21, 1851. jan22 td

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the estate of WILLIAM A. WOODRUFF, deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased, that they are required to exhibit their claims against the deceased, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after this date, to the subscribers at the place of business of Pulaski Jacks, in Clay street.
PULASKI JACKS, } Executors.
ERASTUS V. JOICE, }
San Francisco, Jan. 16, 1851. jan17 1aw3w

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WM. G. BADGER,
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R. F. RYAN,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law.
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JOSEPH HENRIQUES,
Public Administrator County of San Francisco.
Commercial street, next door to Mrs. Whitney's, up stairs. n18 3m

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Exchange Brokers and Bankers.
Clay street, second door from Montgomery.

Have removed to Van Dyke & Belden's fire-proof Building, in Clay street, 2d door from the corner of Montgomery street.

Drafts on Beebee, Ludlow & Co., New York; Ludlow, Beebee & Co., Philadelphia; Josiah Lee, Baltimore, for sale, and in all the principal cities, in sums to suit, by S. BEEBEE, LUDLOW & CO Clay street, 2d door from Montgomery. o1 tf

IN DISTRICT COURT,

OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, State of California, for the County of San Francisco,

Francis Salmon and John S. Ellis, trading under the name and style of Salmon & Ellis, *vs.* Seth B. Horton.

The People of the State of California to Seth B. Horton send Greeting:

You are hereby summoned to appear and answer the plaintiffs' complaint in the above action, (a notice of the nature whereof, the proceedings therein and the time and place of filing said complaint is published with this summons.) and file the same in the office of the Clerk of the said District Court for the county aforesaid, on or before the fourth Monday in June, 1851.

Witness, the Honorable Levi Parsons, Judge of said court, at the court house in the city of San Francisco, this 21st day of December, 1850.
JNO. E. ADDISON, Clerk.
By JAS. D. GALBRAITH, D. C.

NOTICE: to Seth B. Horton:—This action was instituted by Francis Salmon and John S. Ellis, trading in the city of San Francisco, under the firm and style of Salmon & Ellis against you, on the 5th day of December, 1850, for the sum of $5,246 65-100: $477,72 thereof being due from you to them by a promissory note for that amount bearing date the 27th July, 1850, drawn by you, payable to said plaintiffs or order on demand with interest, at the rate of five per cent. per month: and $1,768.93 thereof for money paid by said plaintiffs for you at your request, and $3,000,00 thereof for money had and received by you to their account: You having absconded from this State to the injury of your creditors, a writ of attachment against your property in said county, was issued from the Clerk's office of the said District Court, on the 6th December, 1850, returnable on the 16th December, 1850, and levied on the 6th December, 1850, on your right, title and interest in the schooner "Honolulu."

Summons returnable on the 4th Monday of June, 1851, on or before which day you must appear and answer or judgment will be rendered against you.
JNO. E. ADDISON, Clerk,
By JAS. D. GALBRAIT, Dept Clerk
Clerk's Office, Dec. 21, 1850.
d22 JOHN H. SAUNDERS, Plff's Attorney

CROCKERY AND GLASS WARE.

ROBERT JACKSON, wholesale and retail dealer in crockery, glass and brittania ware, cutlery, japanned goods, lamps, etc., calls the attention of hotel keepers, families, restaurateurs, and country merchants, to his well selected stock. In addition to his old stand on Pacific st., below Kearny, he has taken the basement of the store at the northwest corner of Montgomery and Sacramento sts, at both of which he will keep a complete assortment of choice goods, including the following—

Wicker bottle baskets, for 6, 12, and 24 bottles.
Market baskets, 3 sizes.
Japanned spittoons.
White iron-stone China dinner sets.
do do do breakfast and tea sets.
do do do toilet and chamber sets.
Bar pitchers, tumblers and decanters.
Solar stand and side lamps.
Baking and pie dishes.
N. B.—Invoices purchased. jan9 1m

BOARDING IN THE COUNTRY.

ANGELO HOUSE, WATERVIEW,
(25 miles from San Francisco.)

THE ABOVE HOUSE is now open for the reception of a few Boarders during the winter months. Located midway between San Francisco and San Jose, and possessing a splendid view of the Harbor and Mt. Diablo, its situation offers peculiar advantages, and for salubrity of climate cannot be excelled by any part of California.

A private parlor, with sleeping rooms attached, will be set apart for Ladies. The Table will be supplied with Game, Poultry, Fresh Butter, Eggs and Milk, and every exertion will be used in giving satisfaction to those parties who may patronize the house.
d18 4w 3tawis C. AUBREY ANGELO & CO.

SPLENDID NEW BUGGY

ON a very light principle, with seats for four. For sale at the Java House by McCORMACK & CO,
n7 Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters, 244 Montgomery st.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE.

JUST RECEIVED, per ship Nisidia Stewart, from New York, scarlet twilled flannels, best India drills,
3 ply Brussels and tapestry carpetines,
White and colored blankets,
Flannel clothing, cloth clothing,
Paper hangings, boots and brogans, rice,
Gallego and Hanalt flour, corn meal,
Water crackers, hominy, sausages half bbls,
Pork in whole and half bbls,
Tongues in half bbls, smoked beef in bbls
Ham, bacon and shoulders in boxes,
Pickled hams in tierces, lard, cheese,
Butter in kegs of 15 lbs, oysters,
Scollops, clams, mess shad in half bbls,
Mess mackerel in half and quarter bbls,
Herrings, Molasses in kegs,
Loaf sugar half boxes, crushed do half bbls,
Candies assorted, currants in half bbls,
Lime juice, sardines, pecan nuts, raisins,
Adamantine candles, sperm do, cigars,
Tobacco, pickles, vinegar, brandy,
Dublin porter, East India pale Ale,
Champagne cider, Philadelphia stout and ale,
Madeira, sherry and port wine,
Champagne, tumblers, brooms,
Furniture, matches, sole leather:
Tin plate sheathing, nails, linseed oil,
Manila rope, &c., white lead, pepper,
Rio coffee, London mustard, cassia,
Table salt, bay do, sweet chocolate.
GILMOR MEREDITH,
n25tf cor. Sacramento and Leidesdorf sts.

MASONRY AND STONE-CUTTING.

MESSRS GRANT, KINGSLEY & DODGE respectfully announce to the citizens of San Francisco and vicinity, that, having formed a copartnership, they are prepared to execute any work connected with the various branches of their profession, in the most satisfactory manner, and on the most moderate terms, viz.:

Marble chimney-pieces gravestones and tombs, of various sizes and designs, both plain and ornamental, and of the best quality of Italian and American marble. Also, a large supply of Italian slabs, suitable for counters or table tops. Also, a variety of thick slabs, suitable for provision dealers, printers or confectioners; together with a supply of marble heaths and tile, suitable for chamber hearths or flooring. Freestone in all its varieties, window caps and sills, and door caps, steps and platforms; water tables, and flagging and drain stones. Also, brick work, in all its various branches, either by contract or otherwise. Material furnished if required; grates set and furnished: ranger furnished and ovens erected; together with all kinds of jobbing faithfully executed.

Plastering and stucco work, plain or ornamented, in all its various branches, either by contract or otherwise.

Public patronage respectfully solicited, at the shop in Fuller street, between Kearny and Webb sts.
CHARLES B. GRANT, Stonecutter.
GABDNER P. KINGSLEY, Mason.
d24 1m JOHN D. DODGE, Plasterer.

ENDICOTT, GREENE & OAKES.

OFFER FOR SALE at their warehouse, on First street, near Market, on the Beach, the following goods, at low prices,
12,000 lbs Rio coffee
2500 lbs Java do
2000 lbs loaf sugar
1500 lbs crushed sugar
25 boxes candles
200 galls lime juice
500 lbs butter
10 cases brandy cherries
20 bbls mess pork
25 boxes pickles assorted
3000 lbs dried apples
600 lbs rice
10 half bbls mackerel
5 doz buckskins
16 pair small gold scales
15 cases essences
23 do perfumery.
10 do dysentery cordial
2 do Townsend's sarsaparilla
2 do lemon syrup
30 do Empire cooking stoves, with all furniture
1500 lbs saleratus
3000 rolls paper hangings d3 tf

STATE MARINE HOSPITAL.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF HEALTH for the port of San Francisco, have taken the building on Stockton street, lately known and occupied as the American Hotel, and have converted the same into a State Marine Hospital. The public are informed that the Hospital is now open for the reception of patients.

The public authorities of the city of San Francisco, who have charge of the city poor, citizens, and all persons not entitled to hospital privileges, are also informed that patients will be admitted at this hospital, for the very moderate sum of $28 per week, in advance, including board, lodging and medical attendance. For admission, apply at the Hospital, to the Resident Physician.
LORENZO HUBBARD, M. D.
Resident Physician.

N. B. No patient laboring under an infectious or contagious disease will be treated at this Hospital, but a suitable place will be provided for them, on application as above. o1

IMPORTANT NOTICE

THE SUBSCRIBER has established a a general COMMERCIAL REGISTER OFFICE, in the lower room of Howard & Green's fireproof Buildine, Montgomery st. between Clay and Commercial streets, where a description is given of the position and distinguishing marks of every sea-going vessel arriving in the Harbor after this date

Persons wishing to board ships, with whose berths they are unacquainted, will save time and money by applying at the office, and gaining the desired information.

A News Agent has been appointed by the undersigned, who will intercept all vessels entering the port, and he will immediately express full particulars respecting them to this office, where a Record is kept of all arrivals and departures.

A Confidential Messenger will be constantly in attendance at the office, who will undertake the prompt forwarding of letters to and from all vessels in the harbor, and the execution of commissions, with fidelity and dispatch.

Charge for perusal of the Book containing a List of Arrivals and other general information, 25 cts; Fee for inspection of the Book specifying the Berth of the Shipping, 50 cts. [d4] THOMAS BUNTING.

SALE OF CITY LOTS.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDINANCE of the Common Council, passed Aug. 23d, 1850, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the city of San Francisco, will offer for sale at public auction, ONE THOUSAND LOTS, consisting of fifty and one hundred vara Lots subdivided, and Water Lots in the North and South Beaches—at the California Exchange, Portsmouth square, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the 25th day of JANUARY, instant.

City Scrip and Audited Accounts will be taken at their par value in payment for the property sold.

Catalogues, containing a full description of the Lots, will be ready for distribution at the Mayor's office one week prior to the sale.

JOHN W. GEARY, }
B. L. BERRY. }
TALBOT H. GREEN, } Commissioners.
WM. HOOPER, }
JAMES KING, of WM. }
Jan. 2, 1851. jan4 td

THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD

WILL BE PAID for the apprehension and conviction of one JESSEE J. GRAHAM, who murdered Dennis Bennett, in Cyante, Santa Cruz, State of California, on the 22d of April, A. D. 1850. The said Jessee J. Graham is about six feet high, dark complexion, dark eyes, round shoulders, stoops when he walks, has a very frowning look, and speaks through his nose. It was supposed that he laid concealed in Cyante until the last day of August or about the first of September, and when last seen, was met in company with some others on the Salinas, on his way to the river Colorado, and to Texas, where his mother resides. The above reward will be paid for his safe delivery at San Francisco, Santa Cruz, or Montereys one thousand by the county of Santa Cruz, the other two thousand by JACKSON BENNETT, brother of deceased.
Santa Cruz, Nov. 19, 1850. n23 6m

Book and Job Printing.

CARDS, CHECKS, CIRCULARS, CATALOGUES, HANDBILLS, and every description of PRINTING, can now be executed at the PACIFIC NEWS OFFICE, Montgomery street, next door to Cronin & Markley's, in the best style of the Art, and with the utmost dispatch.

☞ The receipt of a *heavy additional invoice* of NEW AND FANCY TYPES, of the latest patterns, by the steamer New Orleans, enables us to fill the orders of our friends in every variety of style, at the shortest notice. Ship and Steamboat Bills got up in elegant style.

BALDWIN & CO.

ASSAYERS, REFINERS and COINERS, Manufacturers of Jewelry of California Gold, Dealers in Watches and Jewelry and Silver ware. Watches and Jewelry neatly repaired. Next door to the American Hotel, Portsmouth Square, San Francisco.

Gold Dust and Coin received on deposit.

Our Coin redeemed at Edward E. Dunbar's Banking and Exchange Office; also at our Office. d3 tf

DESIRABLE GOODS.

CHAIRS, tables, bureaus, writing desks, bedsteads, cots, couches, stools, feather beds, mattrasses, clothing, tubs, pails, brooms, looking glasses, stoves, wall paper, seives, wood, pit, cross-cut, hand, pruning and key-hole saws, boots, shoes, leading hose, saleratus and soda in small packages, fruit cake in tins, window sashes, &c., for sale by S. NEWMAN,
d5 tf Washington st. below Montgomery.

FOR SALE.

A THE JAVA HOUSE, an invoice of English Boots, water proof coats and caps, pilot cloth jackets, &c.
McCORMACK & CO.,
n11 Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters, Montgomery st.

PROSPECTUS
OF THE
SAN JOSE DAILY ARGUS.

EARLY LAST SUMMER we announced our intention to issue a paper at the Pueblo de San Jose; but untoward circumstances prevented the fulfillment of that design. Our arrangements are now completed, and the purpose so long deferred, will be put into execution without delay.

We announce, therefore, to our friends in San Jose and the Santa Clara Valley, that a new Journal under the above title will be commenced on or about *the First day of January*, 1851, and be published DAILY, feeling confident, as we do, that the patriotism and public spirit of the citizens of the Valley, will amply sustain us in the such an undertaking. We begin this enterprise without the subscription of a single dollar in its behalf from any source, yet not a doubt of success arises to throw a shadow upon our hopes.

It is our design to give *full daily reports of both branches of the Legislature*, together with all documents of a public nature, as well as all other matters of interest at the Capital—in the Valley, and throughout California.

This important feature will render the ARGUS a valuable desideratum to all classes of our citizens, in every part of the State, and to their consideration and subscripwe trust that it will commend itself.

In polities, the ARGUS will be DEMOCRATIC to the core; and while treating public men and measures with courtesy and fairness, will nevertheless endeavor on every occasion to maintain unimpaired the pure principles of Democracy; believing, as we do, that the able exposition and defence of these by JEFFERSON, JACKSON, and POLK, and a host of other worthy and true men of the Party of Progress, have contributed more to the Prosperity, Power and Glory of the American Union, than all other causes combined. Our opponents will always know where to find us—so also will our friends.

The ARGUS will be issued on a Medium sheet of fine white paper, and fair type. Every kind of Book and Job Printing, Cards, Circulars, Handbills, etc., will be executed at the ARGUS Office with Promptness and on reasonable terms.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION AND ADVERTISING.

SUBSCRIPTION.

For One Year, per Mail	$25
" Six Months "	16
" Three " "	

ADVERTISING.

For a Square of 16 lines, or over 8 lines, first insertion	$3 00
" Each subsequent insertion	1 50
" Half Square of 8 lines, or under, first insertion	2 00
" Each subsequent insertion	1 00
" Monthly Advertisements, each square	25 00
" " half do	16 00
" Business Cards of 4 lines, per quarter	40 00
☞ Legal Advertisements, per Square, as above, first insertion	4 00
Each subsequent insertion	2 00

☞ To the Merchants, Business Men, and citizens of San Jose, Santa Clara and San Francisco, the ARGUS will commend itself as a medium of Advertising, and as a journal of intelligence worthy of their subscriptions. Its circulation will embrace the whole State, as it will doubtless be the only journal in which will appear *full reports* of the Proceedings of the Legislature; and its daily issue will enable us to place every important matter before the public at the earliest moment.

☞ The ARGUS will be transmitted by the Expresses of Berford & Co., Freeman & Co., Todd & Co., and others, to San Francisco, Stockton, Sacramento City, and the towns above, so as to anticipate all other means of publication by at least twenty-four hours. With some experience in the newspaper business, the proprietors will endeavor not to be outdone by any others, if industry and attention can secure their object. In San Francisco it will be delivered to subscribers by Carriers on the evening of its issue, or immediately after the arrival of the Boat or Express.
C. M. BLAKE & CO.,
Editors and Proprietors,
To whom all communications should be addressed, (if by mail, post-paid.)
SAN JOSE, December 23, 1850.

☞ Subscriptions and advertisements for the ARGUS received at the *Pacific News* Office, Montgomery street.

PROSPECTUS
OF THE
MONTEREY GAZETTE.

THE UNDERSIGNED proposes to publish in the city of MONTEREY, a Weekly Newspaper, to be called the MONTEREY GAZETTE.

In a country where, above all others in the world, newspapers constitute a necessary of life to the poor as well as to the rich, it is needless to say much in behalf of the present enterprise. We believe the interests of the city of Monterey and of the Southern section of California demand the establishment of a newspaper, and we devote ourselves to the task, in the confident expectation that the intelligence, enterprize, and business of the people will amply sustain us.

The GAZETTE is not designed as a party organ. Entirely independent of political parties, it will only treat of political questions in reference to the public good, without descending in any case, or in the least degree, to partizan or personal warfare.

The *Commercial and Trading* interests of Monterey, and consequently of the Southern section of California will form a permanent subject in our columns. To business men in general, we offer our services; and we shall spare no efforts to promote their prosperity and the welfare of section of the State—which we shall more specially represent.

Another leading object of the Gazette will be to develop the *Mineral and Agricultural Resources* of our young and thriving State. Rich as are the mountains and riverourses with precious metal, we believe the valleys and plains of California contain a mine of wealth still more valuable and inexhaustible. On the agricultural improvement of our State, depend in a great degree its permanent growth and lasting prosperity. To this important subject we shall direct especial attention.

The cause of *Popular Education* will also demand a large share of our regard. The rising generation, to whose charge will shortly be entrusted the destinies of the country, must be qualified for this responsible and noble trust by a judicious and efficient system of Common School education.

Another prominent purpose of the MONTEREY GAZETTE will be the promotion of good morals. In vain shall we hope for continued prosperity, either as a community or as individuals, where vice prevails over virtue. Men, destitute of good moral principles, are incapable of self-government, and unfit for the management of republican institutions. Vices which prevail to the injury of society, we shall not fail to expose and condemn.

The particular interests of the city of Monterey, we shall strive to promote; not as a rival of other flourishing towns in Southern California, but as a member of the same family, identified with them in the same common fortune Its location, convenient to the Mining region, mark it as the future depot of an extensive and profitable trade; and its situation as a sea-port, imparts commercial advantages which will render it, before many years, one of the most important maritime cities on the Pacific. The GAZETTE will guard these great interests, and labor to advance them by all practicable means.

The GAZETTE will also present its readers with news, domestic and foreign, to the latest possible dates. To accomplish this purpose with the greater certainty, a regular correspondence has been opened with San Francisco, New York, Philadelphia, and other places.

As an advertising medium, men in business will find the GAZETTE a ready means of communicating with the public and enhancing their interests.

For the benefit of that portion of the population, not conversant with the English tongue, one side of the GAZETTE will be printed in Spanish, and the Editorial and other leading articles will be inserted in both languages.

The subscription price will be *Sixteen Dollars per annum*, payable invariably in advance. The first number will be issued on or about the 1st of February, 1851.
B. E. HOLLAND,
Editor and Proprietor.
MONTEREY, Dec. 15th, 1850. d23

THE TOWN OF KLAMATH.

ON THE KLAMATH RIVER—The only direct and the cheapest route to the Klamath and Salmon River Mines—has been surveyed and laid out, being situated about three miles from the entrance of the river into the Pacific, in latitude 41 deg. 33 min. North, about 250 miles from San Francisco, and is destined speedily to become one of the most flourishing towns in California, as premised from the following facts, to wit: The Klamath River affords a safe and excellent Harbor, and at all times capable of ingress or egress to the heaviest shipping; and is navigable for steamers from the Town to the Mines, distant from 50 to 75 miles. The river abounds with the finest salmon, the valleys with deer and elk, the forests with a noble growth of pine and red wood, fit for piles, spars, or lumber. While the Mines on the Klamath and its numerous tributaries, among which are the Salmon, Shasta and Ross rivers, are, it is confidently believed, paying better than any other mines in California, as during the past season they have averaged not less than one ounce of gold per day to a man, while multitudes of the more industrious class have made their two and three ounces a day. The climate is one of the finest and most healthy that California affords. Therefore, to the Merchant, the Miner, Mechanic, and Capitalist, it may be truly said: here is presented a field for the investment of labor and capital not surpassed by any other in California. Vessels are now running from San Francisco to the River, and a line of steamers will soon be put on the route; also a steamboat to ply between Klamath and the Mines.

For further particulars inquire of SHULTZ & PALMER, foot of Jackson street, or JOHN GRAY, Jr., Central Wharf, opposite Whitehall, where maps of the Town can be seen

BALLAST

AT CHEAP RATES.—The undersigned is prepared to furnish to shipping, Sand Ballast, delivered in scows, at the foot of Bush street, at rates about fifty per cent. less than ordinary prices. Application to be made to the subscriber on the premises adjoining Market street wharf.
d21 J. WILCOX.

DAILY PACIFIC NEWS.

THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 23, 1851.

AGENTS FOR THE PACIFIC NEWS.

Sacramento City	COL. JOSEPH GRANT.
San Jose	DAILY ARGUS.
Benicia	C. M. DAVIS.
New-York	THOMPSON & HITCHCOCK.
Napa	M. H. N. KENDIG.

☞ AGENTS WANTED in every City, Town and Village, to whom liberal advantages will be given. Orders for the PACIFIC NEWS will be duly attended to, if addressed to us post paid, and enclosing the cash.

☞ The WEEKLY PACIFIC NEWS will be re-commenced as soon as necessary arrangements can be completed. A STEAMER EDITION will be issued semi-monthly, on the sailing of each Mail Steamer.

Quartz Mining Companies.

Of the several quartz mining companies in the State, we do not know of one offering greater inducements to capitalists than the Calaveras Company.

The association is composed of several of our first citizens, and we understand from one of the gentlemen connected with it, that it is their intention to commence immediate operations. The claim possessed by the company includes six distinct veins, of great richness, and judging from the several specimens exhibited to us, we have every reason to believe, that with prompt and energetic action, on the part of those entrusted with its management, all who are so fortunate as to be among its shareholders, cannot fail of realizing a large return for their investment.

The same gentleman informs us that the operators employed by the company, are now engaged in uncovering and blasting in the several veins, and that they will be enabled, in the course of ten days, to satisfy the skeptical, that their claim is the most valuable of any yet discovered in the State.

The magnitude and importance of this description of mining, has not received that amount of attention, which our own reflection prompts us in believing the least investigation on the part of our citizens would secure for it, and we think that day near at hand, when capitalists in other States will readily invest their means, to aid in the development of this exhaustless source of wealth, and they only wait for the proper representations from reliable quarters, to embark in the enterprise. One of this description of mines now in operation in the State of Georgia, divided among the stockholders—being the result of last year's operations—over three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and the average yield of this mine, it will be borne in mind, is only *four cents* to the pound of rock, while that of the several veins of the Calaveras company veins from *fifty cents* to *four dollars* per pound.

Nor is this the only mine of value. Among those known to be very productive, is the "Northern Yuba Mining Company," whose Secretary, Mr. PEARSON, accompanied by several gentlemen of this city, we understand leaves this afternoon for the purpose of locating operations and machinery, preparatory to an immediate commencement of labors.—Success is sure to follow, where so much energy is bestowed as in the management of the two companies named above.

The Weather.

Such a winter as we are now enjoying, has not occurred for many years before in California. There has not been rain enough to swell our rivers to any extent, and the new towns on the San Joaquin, Tuolumne, and Feather rivers, are suffering thereby, as none of the small steamers are able to reach them at a low stage of water. The air is mild as May, and the farmers in the country are making their gardens and sowing their fields.

We are informed that about twelve years since, a winter similar to this occurred, and that the following summer many domestic animals upon the ranches perished for want of food, there not being rain enough to produce the ordinary crop of grass. The present season may eventuate as that did. The miners in the dry diggings are at present the greatest sufferers for want of rain, and the scarcity of money is mainly attributable to this source.

The rainy season to California is as necessary as the annual overflowing of the Nile to Egypt, and the absence of it attended with almost equally disastrous consequences.

THE REALEJO ROUTE—Much attention is now being attracted to this route. From a prices current sent us by a gentleman at Realejo, our dealers will learn the range of marketable articles. The "Pacific and Atlantic Transportation Company" are now prepared to forward passengers from Realejo and the intermediate towns, at the following rates: Teams to Grenada, $6 each passenger; horses, with baggage sent, $15; horses without baggage, $10. Fresh teams are supplied at each station on the route, and the company insures all baggage.

ARRIVAL OF ANOTHER STEAMER.—The steamer Wilson G. Hunt, Capt. BROWN, arrived yesterday from New York, having touched at Bermuda, Panama and Acapulco. She made the passage from Bermuda to this city in eighty-three days, running time. Left Panama Dec. 26th, and Acapulco Jan. 2d. She encountered severe northwest gales during the whole passage, but sustained no damage. It is the design of her owners to run her to Sacramento city, in connection with the Confidence.

BROTHERLY CONGRATULATION.—The Detroit *Free Press* gives the following as having actually transpired in that city, a day or two after the Michigan State election:

> "WE ARE A BAND OF BROTHERS."—A negro met a Whig yesterday, and in a condescending tone remarked: "WE have licked the locofocos this time!"
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> "Yes WE have."

DEPARTURE OF MAIL STEAMERS.—The steamer Tennessee, Capt. COLE, sails to-day at 4 o'clock, for Panama.

The Oregon, Capt. H. PIERSON, leaves to-day at 12 o'clock, for Oregon.

☞ A mail bag will be kept open at the Merchants' Exchange, up to 3 o'clock, P. M., to-day, to go by the steamer Tennessee.

The Marine Hospital.

We have received a pamphlet copy of a report made by Dr. J. H. ROGERS, Health Officer of the port of San Francisco, with accompanying documents, in compliance with a resolution offered by the Hon. Mr. BALDWIN, of the Assembly, from which we make the following synopsis.

The number of persons admitted into the hospital from May to December, was 1200, and the number of vessels visited, of which more than one half had disease on board, was 500. The receipts from capitation taxes supports the hospital and leaves a surplus. Our present law as relates to owners and masters provisioning their vessels with fresh vegetables, is deemed inadequate, as many vessels are daily arriving, which have the scurvy on board. Twenty thousand persons have paid the capitation tax, and are consequently entitled to the privileges of the institution for the next five years.

The report of the Resident Physician of the State Marine Hospital, from May 7th to Dec. 7th, 1850, shows that during that time 1200 persons were admitted, 912 discharged, and 912 cured. Of the number admitted, there were from diarrhœa, 262; dysentery, 204; intermittent fever, 93; typhus fever, 27; eyrsipelas, 13; cholic, 24; hepatitis, 23; gonorrhœa, 40; fistula, 15; fracture, 25; paralysis, 13; cholera morbus, 5; phthisis pulmonalis, 29; asthma, 23; delirium tremens, 9; bronchitis, 28; laryngitis, 3; pneumonia, 26; contusion, 17; orchitis, 4; acute rheumatism, 113; chronic rheumatism, 47; hœmorrhord, 7; debility, 14; hemiphlegia, 1; scurvy, 46; cholera, 9; jaundice, 15; secondary syphilis, 161; mania, 10; dropsy, 12; opthalmia, 7; scalds, 7; poisoned, 11; convulsions, 2.

Of the above number, 149 have died. The whole number of commutation patients admitted was 1054; pay patients, 146, making a total of 1200, of which number three were discharged; cured 912; remaining in hospital sick, 139; died, 149.

The Annual Report of the Board of Health, from May 5th to Dec. 15th, 1850, shows that there was received of commutation money, $56,780 50; from pay patients, $12,722, 64; and from sales of apothecary, and rent of same, $1,161 12, making the total amount received $70,654.26.

Of the amount expended, there were for rent of building used as Hospital, $9,422 21; for nurses and other attendants, $6,057 53; salaries of Resident Physician and Assistants, together with per centage of Health Commissioner, $11,390,57; for health officer's boat, wages of crew, printing, office rent, clerk's salary, &c., $10,228 63; fuel, $1,377,-60; medicines, ($4,500 being for drug store) for use of hospital, $8,322 98; groceries, provisions, &c., $11,114 36; for brig Bee, lumber, carpenter work, furniture, &c., $10,031,-81; nndertaker, for expenses of deceased patients, $2,556 08; making the total amount of expenditures, $70,501 06, and leaving a balance on hand of $163 20.

Gen. Cass in Pennsylvania.

At a county convention in Lancaster county, Pa., an address was adopted presenting Gen. CASS as its choice for the Presidency. The following are the resolutions:

> Resolved, That never abandoning those in whom we have reposed trust and confidence on account of their talent, services and sound principles, except for good and sufficient cause, we continue to revere and sustain him, who was the chosen leader of the Democracy, in the arduous contest of 1848—Gen. Lewis Cass, of Michigan.
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> Resolved, That instead of losing, or, of only maintaining his former hold on our respect and confidence, that great, able and good man, and unbending Democrat, has by every act of his public life since, added strength to the claims which put him in nomination at the last Presidential election
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> Resolved, That whether in the Senate or in the field, in privtae life or as the representative of his country abroad, in the Cabinet or as a writer, Lewis Cass has proved himself an honest, fearless, and learned man, a firm patriot, an able diplomatist; and as such we prefer him above all others, as the Democratic candidate for the Presidency in 1852.

STILL MORE NEW MATERIAL.—We received by the last steamer, per GREGORY'S Express, in 38 days from New York, another invoice of beautiful *Job Type*, and other material, which makes our office one of the most perfect on the Pacific coast. We have every style and variety of type necessary for steamer and ship bills, auction bills, cards, circulars, checks, and blanks of every description. Handbills of the largest size, printed plain or in colors, at low rates.

Since the enlargement of the *News*, and the putting on of our "new dress," the public have patronized us to an extent that affords the most gratifying evidence of their appreciation of our efforts to give them such a paper as the wants of the community demand, and the importance of our commerce and business generally enables us to produce by close attention to each department.

GREAT OFFER.—The Bridgeport (Ct.) Farmer says, We learn that Mr Barnum has received letters from San Francisco, saying that if he would come there with Jenny Lind, and give ten concerts, one hundred persons will obligate themselves to pay him $500 each, for each night, and themselves take the risk of selling the tickets. Whew! $500,000 for ten concerts! A big spec!

☞ Like a great many California speculations, this is a far bigger "spec," *on paper*, than would be realized when the *oro* come, to be weighed. BARNUM had better not bring his Nightingale to California with any idea of realizing "$500,000 for ten concerts!"

MAPS.—We have received a beautiful lithodgraphed map of the City of San Francisco, compiled from the surveys of WM. M. EDDY, Esq., County Surveyor, and S. H. MARLETTE, Esq., and lithographed by Messrs. ALEX. ZARESKI & HARTMAN. The map presents a very neat and beautiful appearance, and reflects great credit upon those who have got it up.

We have also received a map of the Klamath Gold Region and Gold Bluff, from the recent surveys of H. EHRENBERG, Chief Engineer, very fairly lithographed.

Our New York Correspondence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11, 1850.

Our military aristocracy, with Gen. Scott at its head, are trying to have a new grade or rank engrafted upon their system. A Board of Officers has been sitting in Washington, and have hatched a proposition to create the office of Lieutenant General, and will recommend its adoption to Congress. Of course so big an officer must require a large increase of our peace army, and move many to support its honors. But there is little prospect of Congress paying much attention to so absurd a proposition.

Our city of Gotham is getting to be quite a sizeable town. The census, with the exception of the Third and Fifth Wards, has been completed, and the result is 483,420 persons. The two delinquent Wards will increase this number to about 525,000! an increase since 1845 of 150,000! San Francisco can't beat that. Brooklyn has 98,500; Williamsburg 31,500. It is safe to assume that with a radius of ten miles from our City Hall, there are more than 750,000 people residing! The Sixteenth Ward in this city has a population of 52,800—and is hereafter the Empire Ward.

Thirty-two vessels have cleared from the Atlantic ports for California from Nov. 12 to this date, a period of one month. A new clipper ship, the Sea Serpent, built in Boston, for Grinnell, Minturn & Co., will shortly sail for China, via San Francisco. She is expected to beat the Sea Witch.

Our city continues as healthy as usual. For the week ending Dec. 7, there were 302 deaths. Our average is over 300 weekly. In Brooklyn last week, 34 deaths.

The Jenny Lind mania is raging at present in Baltimore. Her first concert in the Monumental City netted $10,000. She's a great woman, and we are a great people.

Efforts are making for having the next World's Fair held in this country. Governor's Island has already been set apart for that purpose, and individuals are ready to pledge themselves in the amount of $700,000, to construct the necessary buildings. Is California to be represented in the World's Fair of 1851, in September next? Send along your biggest gold boulder!

Among the members elect to the Assembly of this State, is Mr. Caleb Lyon, of Lyonsdale. He ran as an independent democrat in Lewis county, and was elected by more than 1500 majority. His talents and untiring industry will, no doubt, render him an efficient legislator, and his sympathy with the people will induce him to look sharply after their interests.

Our weather is cold, and the indications of a snow storm is evidently in the wind.

Yours, for California, EUREKA.

Marine Hospital and Commerce.

Editors of the Pacific News:

I perceive that a most stupendous scheme is proposed for a State Marine Hospital. By it the City and Marine Hospitals are to be merged into one—to accommodate all the poor of the City, State, and as there is no restriction, probably of the whole universe, "and all other places." This new institution is to be governed by

Six Directors, with salaries of $3000 each	$18,000
One Resident Physician	6,000
Two Visiting Physicians and two Surgeons	24,000
One Treasurer, six per cent on receipts, say	30,000
One Steward	3,000
One Matron	2,500
Contingencies, say	10,000
Making the moderate sum of	$93,500

More than four times the extent of what is said to be the present expenditures.

And how are these funds to be raised?—Why, by 1st, A commutation tax on all passengers arriving at San Francisco: 2d. By a tax on all vessels in the harbor, if over one hundred tons, $10 per month—if under, $4 per month; and if a sufficient fund be not thus raised, to support the poor of this State, including those of the Sandwich Islands, New Zealand, and all Europe, the city of San Francisco is to be taxed some $200,000 to make up the deficit.

Now, Mr. Editor, I have always been adverse to anything that looked like, or operated as, a restriction on commerce, particularly when it operates injuriously on our own citizens, and in my opinion, the fault of the present law is in taxing American citizens for the support of foreigners.

All that the State needs of a Marine Hospital at San Francisco, is to support the foreign poor; all others are provided for. If foreign poor are brought to our State, it is but proper and just that those who bring them here should secure the State against their becoming a public charge, and this can be done only by giving a bond, as in the old law, or by a commutation tax on foreign passengers.

But in the name of all that is sacred to the interest of the State, let not all the shipping be driven from our harbor by imposing the monstrous tax proposed in the new hospital bill. A better plan than this, to drive all the shipping from our harbor, and depopulate our city, could not be devised. Adopt this new scheme and in a few months our streets will swarm with the lame, the halt, and the blind, from every part of the States, the nation, foreign counties, all parts of the habitable globe, "and all other places."

It is easier to pull down than to build up, and great caution should be used in substituting new and untried experiments, in the place of tried institutions, remembering that

> "A thousand years scarce serves to form a State,
> An hour may lay it in the dust."

MERCHANT.

THE LAST DAY.—The grand lottery of TUCKER & REEVES will be drawn at the Empire House, *this evening*, and to-day will be the last chance offered for securing tickets. This lottery will probably be the *last* that will be drawn in the State, as the law of the Legislature will prevent lotteries in the future. The prizes offered in the drawing this evening, are really magnificent, comprising eight hundred in number, and embracing some of the most valuable watches, chains, rings, pins, bracelets, etc., ever offered in the California market. In addition, the last drawn number receives the two magnificent paintings, valued at $1,200.

Tickets can be had at the store of the proprietors, Commercial street, and at the counting-room of this office, Montgomery street.

"FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE."—We find in a recent Manchester, (Eng.) paper, the following interesting item of *news*:

> "Capt. Fremont, at present a member of the Legislature, is the owner of an extensive ranch, upon which are valuable gold bearing quartz veins. This property is on the MARIPOSAS, situated upon the Sierra Nevada."

MOSES Y. BEACH, Esq., formerly of the New York *Sun*, was, at the last advices, lying ill under a severe attack of paralysis, from which he was not expected to recover.

Our Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec 10, 1850.

The mail transportation between the Atlantic is at present rather a vexatious subject. Howland & Aspinwall, by their contract are not bound to carry the mail from Panama north oftener than once a month. Mr. Law, however, brings it semi-monthly to Chagres. The discrepancy thus existing between their respective lines of service is greatly disadvantageous, and calls for a remedy. Howland & Aspinwall have been voluntarily performing semi-monthly service. By express agreement no claim is to asked by this firm from the Department for this extra service, but they agree to apply to Congress in the premises. They have accordingly presented their memorial asking additional compensation. Mr. Law receives $390,000 a year for carrying the mail twice a month to Chagres. Messrs. H. & A. receive under their contract $199,000 per annum for carrying the mail monthly to and from Panama, California, and Oregon. They ask double pay for double service, or about $400,000 annually. If this increase be agreed to, the transportation of the Atlantic and Pacific mail would, including the transit across the Isthmus, cost upwards of $800,000 a year. Now, when we know that the revenue to the Department from this branch of the service cannot be rated beyond $36,000 a month, or about $430,000 a year, it is evident that the Department will be reluctant to agree to any reduction of postage on this route. The excess of expenditure by the government under such circumstances, amount to more than $350,000 a year. Congress will not sanction any reduction of postage so long as such an enormous balance is exhibited against you. This subject is a very important one for your consideration.

Ought not Messrs. H. & A. to show a more liberal spirit towards a people whose trade has blessed them in basket and in store? I have no desire to censure that enterprising firm, but I wish to call the attention of California and Oregon to this matter. It has a momentous bearing upon the interests of every one who can write a letter or read a paper.

Major Hobbie's instructions may provide some mode of remedy in the premises, in case Congress should not feel disposed to grant the petition of Messrs. Howland & Aspinwall. He leaves in the steamer of the 26th instant, for Panama, and might find it necessary to pay you a brief visit in San Francisco. Should he determine to advertise for proposals to perform the duty of carrying the mail north from Panama, there would be, I suppose, little difficulty in receiving very favorable offers.

Your paper contains so many notices of Masonic meetings, that I suppose it might gratify some of your readers to be informed that the controversy so long dividing the Fraternity in New York, has been amicably and finally adjusted. The new Grand Lodge has surrendered its charter, &c., and invitations have been sent all over the U. S., inviting the brethren to participate with the reconciled brotherhood in a festival of rejoicing to be held on the 27th inst., at New York city.

W. S. Messeray, representative elect from New Mexico, and R. H. Weighman, Senator elect from that *State*, are in town, and intend, I believe, to demand their seats. I opine that they would cheerfully "compromise" for the mileage.

The Printers have been holding a convention in New York. Every trade seems to be awake to the importance of associated effort.

Jenny Lind is singing the Baltimoreans into phrensy. She visits us on the 16th instant, and Willard is fitting up a *suite* of rooms for her and her household. I wish she would visit South Carolina, and soothe the "savage breasts" of her legislators. They seem at present "fit for treason, stratagem, and spoil."

Col. Fremont's bill for leasing the mineral lands in California, which slipped through the Senate last session, will not be concurred in by the House. It seems generally conceded that the government has never prospered as a landlord. A freehold is more advantageous too, to the citizen, than a leased estate. Some advocate the absolute conveyance of the gold region to the State of California. It is said that the miners have already established a code of laws for the establishment and protection of land titles, and that no other statutory provisions could be enforced. So great a diversity of opinion exists as to the best mode of settling land titles in California, that I should not be surprized, were the whole subject postponed to next Congress. If practicable, however, some measure must be agreed upon, or else your new Surveyor General will be left to his discretionary administration of existing laws.

ORION.

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE.

Tuesday, January 21.

IN SENATE.—A message from the Governor was laid before the Senate, in relation to the late Indian hostilities in Mariposa county.

Mr. Miller introduced a bill, the principal provisions of which empower Major Burney to raise a force in that county, not to exceed 500 men, to make war on the Indians, the expense to be defrayed by the State.

The bill requiring Alcaldes and Judges of First Instance to account for monies, was laid on the table indefinitely, on motion of Mr Broderick.

On motion of Mr. Broderick, the bill to prohibit lotteries, with the amendments, was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Heydenfeldt asked and obtained leave to introduce the following bill:

SEC. 1. The State of California does hereby grant and release to the city of San Francisco, all the right, title and interest of the said State in those lands situate within the limits and bounds of the said city, and lying between high water mark and the usual ship's channel, and bounded as follows; commencing at a point where the western boundary of the city intersects with the ordinary ship's channel; thence running along the line of the ordinary ship's channel to the southern boundary of the city; thence along the southern boundary of the city to the ordinary high water mark; thence along the ordinary high water mark to the western boundary of the city; thence along the western boundary of the city to the place of beginning; giving and confirming to the said city the right to sell, lease or mortgage the said lands or any part thereof. Provided, however, that all perfected bona fide grants and sales of the said lands, or of any part thereof, which have been heretofore made by any alcalde of the town or city of San Francisco, and duly recorded or an abstract thereof noted among the official records of said town or city, or which have been made, confirmed or approved by any Ayuntiamento, or town or city council of said town or city, shall be deemed valid and binding upon said city, as well as upon this State, from the respective dates. Provided, the same has been done in good faith and without fraud.

Mr. Van Buren gave notice of his intention to introduce a bill to be entitled "an act concerning the grants of Alcaldes and Indians."

We understand that the bill proposed to be introduced by the senator from San Joaquin, has reference to the recent decision of the Supreme Court of this State on the subject of Alcalde and Indian grants; and it is intended to make such grants valid and binding, as far as this State is concerned, provided they were made without fraud and do not interfere with private rights.

The pay of the principal Clerk of the Senate was increased from $24 to $28 per day, and the other Clerks in proportion.

Mr. Douglass, from the Committee on Indian affairs, to whom was referred an act for the protection of the citizens of Mariposa county against the Indians, submitted a bill as a substitute; and they further recommended that the finance committee be instructed to introduce a bill authorizing a war loan of $300,000, to be appropriated to the liquidation of claims caused by Indian wars.

The bill which accompanied the above report, was nearly similar in its provisions to that of Mr. Miller, with this difference, that the force to be raised should be limited to 250 men, the allowance to each man for equipment, provisions and pay, not to exceed $10 per day.

The rules were suspended, and the bill was passed and sent to the Assembly.

The act to repeal an act to provide for the inspection of steamboats, was signed by the President.

Mr. Broderick obtained leave to introduce a bill now before the Judiciary Committee for the purpose of abolishing the Superior Court of San Francisco, with the view of introducing a bill amendatory of the act creating that Court.

The bill to repeal an act to prevent the coining of money by individuals, was read a third time and passed.

Mr. Douglass moved that both Houses should meet in joint convention on Saturday next to elect a U. S. Senator instead of the Hon. John C. Fremont.

Several amendments were proposed and discussed; and at length one from Mr. Tingley, that the motion should be laid on the table, was adopted, nine voting for, and four against it.

Mr. Woodworth proposed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Judiciary Committee be instructed to introduce, at an early day, a bill provide for the refunding of all moneys collected by the State from taxes assessed upon property declared by the recent decision of the Supreme Court as without a title.

The motion was lost.

IN ASSEMBLY—The bill in relation to usury was read a third time and passed.

The resolution which was offered some days since by Mr. Baldwin, by which Mr. Saunders was declared entitled to a seat as Representative from Butte county, was taken up.

The ayes and nays on the resolution being taken, were as follows: ayes 27, nays 6.

The bill repealing the office of State Assayer, introduced to the House from the Senate, was taken up, read twice, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill introduced by Mr. Carr, in relation to divorces, was discussed in Committee of the Whole, and after unimportant amendments, was ordered to be engrossed.

On leave, Mr. Richardson moved a resolution that Friday next be appointed as the time to meet in joint ballot for the purpose of electing a U. S. Senator. A motion was made to lay the same on the table. Ayes [illegible]; nays 19. Lost.

After a good deal of discussion and sundry propositions made and voted on and lost, Mr. Hall arose and said, that he and all were perfectly aware that in the present state of feeling, this resolution could not pass. He therefore moved that it be made the special order for Tuesday next. Carried.

The Senate bill in relation to the Mariposa Indian difficulties, was read a second time.

Record of City Courts.

WEDNESDAY, January 22.

SUPERIOR COURT.—Hon. D. O. SHATTUCK, Associate Justice.

Gally & David vs. Pollock—Leave granted defendant to withdraw demurrer, and file answer. Wilson for defendant.

Anna M. Spark vs. Dennis McCarthy—Cause argued and taken under advisement. Peachy for plaintiff; Smith & Morse for defendant.

Before Hon. J. C. SMITH.—Kyle vs. Chipman, et. al.—Ordered that a new trial be had, and that the Clerk pay to the plaintiff, three hundred dollars of the money in the hands of the court, and hold the balance, subject to the order of the court. Parties represented in person.

Truebody vs. Guzman—Cause continued by consent.

Clark vs. Simpton, et. al.—Cause continued, parties not appearing.

Palmer vs. Howard—This cause is continued, parties not appearing.

PROBATE COURT.—Hon. R. N. Morrison presiding.

In matter of the estase of Jonathan Finnessee, deceased—Ordered that J. J. DuPuy, Frank Pixley and Milner be appointed appraisers of the above estate.

In the matter of John C. Bull, a lunatic—Ordered and decreed that John C. Bull is a lunatic, and that Isaac Enslou be appointed guardian of the person and property of said John C. Bull, and that he give bond in the sum of three thousand dollars.

In matter of the estate of Wm. M. Carman, deceased—Ordered that John Marshall, F. M. Pixley and Joseph Shannon, be appointed appraisers on the above estate.

COURT OF SESSIONS.—Hon. R. N. Morrison, presiding.

John McAdams, for petit larceny, was ordered to be discharged.

DISTRICT COURT.—Hon. Levi Parsons, presiding.

Geo. K. Platt vs. John A. Clark, et al.—Demurrer overruled, and five days time allowed to answer. Platt & Dodge for plaintiff.

John Sharpe vs. John C. Hays.—Judgment by default.

R. Killaley vs. McCormack and Blythe.—Motion to dismiss attachment dismissed.

Theodore Shillaber vs. C. M. Wever et al—All proceedings on account of possession stayed five days.

Leonard L. Gale vs. Hyatt, Cox et al.—Default against Cox and Hyatt.

L. A. Bourdin vs. Lockwood & Begin.—Judgment against defendant in the sum of $200. Hoffman & Monroe for plaintiff. Wells & Simson for defendants.

Duggan vs. Turner. Referred to —— Cole, Esq. Holliday for plaintiff. Turner for defendant.

Joseph Tryon vs. Alex. Moore.—Judgment for plaintiff in the sum of $528 10.

Pacific Mail Steamship Company vs. Coffee & Ray.—Nonsuit granted. McAllister for plaintiffs. Hart, Wells & Parburt for defendants.

E. A. King vs. McCormack & Parker.—Judgment by default.

Macondray & Co. vs. Thurston & Reed.—Judgment for plaintiffs in the sum of $2663 67. Chetwood, Edwards, Rose & Turk for plaintiffs. McHenry for defendants.

RECORDER'S COURT.—Hon. F. Tilford presiding.

Castio Hiso, for threatening life, was bound over to keep the peace, in the sum of $500.

Edwin Taylor, for being riotous and disorderly, was fined $20. Robert Hoskins, for same offence, was discharged.

For breach of the peace, A. Brusson was fined $25; John Ryder, discharged; John Smith and S. Martin, continued.

Henry Reed, for larceny, was discharged.

Domingo Ayes, for nuisance, was sentenced to pay a fine of $20 to the City Hospital, or be imprisoned ten days.

Cruse Maldea, for same offence, was discharged.

AN UNFAITHFUL CALIFORNIA WIDOW.—We occasionally meet, in our exchanges from the States, with paragraphs like the following, which we cut from the Buffalo *Republic*:

> "The wife of one of our citizens, now in California, sloped a short time ago with a person with whom she became acquainted since his absence."

MAYOR CONVICTED OF MISDEMEANOR.—The trial of Mayor Barker, of Pittsburg, for misdemeanor in office, resulted in his conviction.

BY LAST NIGHT'S BOAT.

News from the Sacramento Valley.

Mr. G. E. CLARKE, of Gregory's Express, promptly placed in our possession last night Sacramento papers of yesterday morning.

From the *Transcript* we learn that the Indians have again commenced hostilities against the miners along the frontier of Eldorado county, who have held a meeting, and call earnestly upon government to protect them. The *Transcript* adds:

> "The Indians are in the habit of coming close to the rancho in daylight, and killing the horses and other stock around. On Sunday last, two persons, only a very short distance from the house, were fired on, and a young man named Smith was seriously wounded. There are three rancherias within twelve miles of Johnson's, where there is gathered a large body of Indians, and the whites are compelled to guard the house both by night and day.

Stock commands a good price at Sacramento. Within a week, the price of mules and horses has advanced nearly fifty per cent. Mules in good condition are worth $100

Seventeen thousand letters were received at Sacramento, brought by the steamer Oregon, besides a large number of bags of newspapers.

LARGE TRAINS.—Scarcely a day has passed, within the past week, that we have not observed large trains of mules, heavily packed with sacks of flour, boxes, and kegs, leaving the city for the Northern mines. The recent discoveries there seem to have imparted an impetus to all. [Transcript.

FORFEITED SECURITY.—The county of Mariposa has brought suit for $10,000, against the security of Marianna, who murdered Foster, and escaped from San Jose. [Ib.

REPORT ON THE CITY REAL ESTATE.—We have been presented by ALFRED WHEELER, Esq., with a pamphlet copy of the Report by him on the "Condition of the Real Estate of the City, and the property beyond, within the bounds of the old Mission Dolores," made in pursuance of an ordinance of the Common Council, creating a Commissioner to inquire into city property. We have not yet had time to examine the report, but from the well-known ability of its author, judge it to be one creditable to himself and his associates on the Commission.

Commercial.

Wednesday Jan. 22.

The price of City Scrip under the effect of the statement of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, is slightly depressed and cannot be quoted better than 35 ⅌ cent. The public sale by Messrs. T. Payne & Co. reached 34½@40 cts. closing at the same rate.

State Scrip is in more demand and parcels have changed hands at 65 ⅌ cent.

In flour but little is doing. Chile can be bought at $5,50 ⅌ half sack. Good corn is in request. Pork and all salted provisions are dull and the supplies large.

Prices Current at Realejo.

EXPORTS—Sugar, ⅌ cwt, $5 37; Molasses ⅌ gal. 31¼@37½c; Corn, ⅌ cwt. 87½c@$1; Cigars, best, ⅌ M, $5@6; do, common, $3@3 50; Hogs, each, $2@2 50; Chickens, ⅌ doz, $3; Cattle, each, $6@7; Coffee, none; Hides, each, $1; large lemons ⅌ 100, 62½c; Hammocks, each, 50@75c.

IMPORTS—Brandy, ⅌ gal, $3, wanted; do ⅌ case, $7, asking rates; Gin ⅌ gal, 1 87½ wanted; Bitters, per doz. $3, much wanted, none on hand; Porter, $6, do do; Ale, $5, do do; Cider, $6, do do; Whisky, ⅌ gal, 1 50, do do; Champagne, ⅌ doz. $16@18, do do; Claret, ⅌ doz, $6, asking rates; Mustard, none; Tobacco, has sold in small lots at 50c@$1 ⅌ ℔, none on hand; Coffee, ⅌ ℔, 38@50c. do; Stoves, large size, each, $40; Teas—blk, 75c, green, $1, small packages; Wagons and Harnesses, $300@400; Gin, in glass, $8 ⅌ case, duty paid, none in market; Cutlery, Lamps, Crockery and Glassware, in demand, and will bring fair rates, but the goods must not be too costly.

EXCHANGE—Gold 5 ⅌ ct. premium, payable in ounces, at $17; Ounces, 1 ⅌ ct. payable in silver at 8 dimes to the dollar; Dust, $14@15 per oz.

MARRIED.

At Sacramento, 18th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Williams, Mr. Charles F. Van Antwerp, late of New York, to Miss Annie Deighton, of Perth, Scotland.

DIED.

In Panama, Dec. 14, William Henry Maddin, aged 12 years, son of Mrs. Catharine Hall, recently from New Orleans.

Consignees.

Per Fanny—Cooke, Bros & Co; B F Hoxie, Maunsel White & Co; C D Olmstead, W B Jones; Ogden & Haynes; J B Bidleman, E Hamilton, Harris & Panton; Hutton & Timmerman, W H Ranlett, Turner, Fish & Co, Thomas S Holmstom, Green & Morgan Turnbull & Waltan; Clark & Miller, Quereau & Johnson; Brown, Henry & Co; J C Morrison & Co; Dilman & Bro; Merrill & Sydam; Dewitt & Harrison, S F Myers, Hawley, Sterling & Co; D T Provost, W K Van Allen, G D Dickenson, L Suydam, Jr; Adlsdoofer & Neustadfer, W H Mosler & Co; Rragg & Whittemore; Simonsfield; Bache & Bo; Hunt & Co; S Williams, D D Mallony.

Per Uncas—Brenhart, Jacoby & Co; Cushman; A J Vendernoss; H Eibser; Vigneau & Grisgar; John Brown.

Per Mermaid—Flint & Peabody; Buffard & Cook.

Per Chameleon—Starkey Brothers.

MARINE NEWS.

Cleared.

January 22.

Ship Massachusetts, Sampson, Manila.

Steamer Oregon, Pearson, Astoria.

Arrived.

Steamer Wilson G. Hunt, Bowne, 280 ds from N York via intermediate ports, to master.

Bark Success, Irwin, 6 ds fm Astoria, lumber to Abernethy.

Bark Fanny, Spicer, 144 ds fm NYork via Rio de Janiero—to master. 2 pass.

Bel ship Uncas, Loomis, 221 ds Antwerp via Valparaiso, 59 ds—188 pass 3 females, to Hockgesangt.

Brig Mermaid, Upton, 212 ds fm Salem via Valparaiso 62 ds—mdse to order.

Br brig Onita, Niles, 28 days from San Blas—produce to order.

Br bark Emily, Dounie, 52 ds from Valparaiso—6 pass—mdse to Descat.

Bark Canton, Southard, 25 ds from San Blas. Cargo to order. 18 pass, 4 females.

Ship Forester, Caulfield, 180 ds fm NYork, via Valparaiso, 60 ds—mdse to master.

Hawaiian brig Chameleon, Churchill, 22 ds fm Labaina. Produce to Starkey Bros.

Russian bark Prince Menschikoff, Witzkoiz, 15 days fm Sitka.

Spoken.

Per Fanny—Nov. 16, lat 55 58 S, 71 42 W, Br bark Eliza fm Liverpool for Valparaiso.

Memoranda.

Per Fanny—Left at Juan Fernandez, wh sp Hope, NB, 39 mos. out 752 bbls spm; sp Mohawk of Nantucket, 8 mos out—no oil; bk Hesper, of Fair Haven, 25 mos out, 400 bbls spm. Left at Rio—ship Chile to sail in 6 ds. Sept 26, lat 19 S, 36 41 W—the F. came in collision with a vessel standing in opposite directions. The F. going at the time nine knots lost her fore and main-top-masts, topsail yards and foreyard, and her bows also stove in, and was obliged to put into Rio for repairs. The name of the other vessel was not ascertained.

Per Camelian—Left at Lahaina, schrs Maria and Curlew; hg Br brig Portinia, sld for Sydney 21st.

Per Success—Brig Tarquina, and bg Anne E Maine, arr at Astoria, on the 14th Jan. The Ocean Bird was to sail on the 16th. Brig Empress to sail for China soon.

The Manager's Last Kick.

"The New World, when within a few rods of her landing, came to a dead halt and allowed an express man to go ashore in the *steamer's* small boat. The steamer, (and passengers too, of course) remained in the middle of the river about ten minutes, until the boat returned, and the said express man had supplied the offices of the three daily papers with later dates from the States."

The above is an extract from a letter dated Sacramento City, Jan. t21st, and speaks for itself! The "Confidence" and "Wilson G. Hunt," will, however, soon be ready, and obviate such matters as the above.

JOSEPH W. GREGORY,

jan23 1t Express Proprietor.

Card. Look at this!

Being in a feeble state of health the subscriber is compelled to take a voyage to the Sandwich Islands, and will therefore sell out his stock in trade and good will, at low cost per inventory, or receive a partner who can advance either the same sum he has invested, or even less, if said partner is in other respects desirable. His late firm has just divided equally and amicably about TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS, realised in a few months. This, and much more can be done over again, and he would venture to say $20,000, during the business year, and as his return would be immediate, his experience in purchasing, selling, &c. would be given wholly to the business with renewed vigor. He has two stores in full and successful operation. Apply in person at the store in Pacific street, below Kearny. (jan15 tf) ROBERT JACKSON.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

☞ GOLD DUST forwarded to the United States at 5 per cent. including Freight and Insurance, under the policies of the Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company.

Bills on New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Richmond, Va. in sums to suit.

S. BEEBEE LUDLOW & CO.
jan23 Clay street, 2d door from Montgomery.

☞ **United States Assayer's Office.**—We give notice that on or about the 1st February ensuing, we will be prepared to receive GOLD DUST for SMELTING and ASSAYING, and forming the same into ingots and bars, in accordance with our recent contract with the Secretary of the Treasury, authorised by an act of Congress approved 30th Sept. 1850, under the supervision of the United States Assayer, AUGUSTUS HUMBERT, Esq. who will cause the United States stamp to be affixed to the same. MOFFAT & CO.

We also announce our intention of erecting forthwith extensive REVERBERATING SMELTING FURNACES for the purpose of reducing Ores and Gold-bearing Black Sand. Due notice will be given of the removal of the U.S. Assayer's office to Montgomery street. San Francisco, Jan. 21, 1850. jan22 3t MOFFAT & CO.

☞ **Notice to Auctioneers.**—Auctioneers whose Licenses have expired, are hereby notified to have them renewed. And all persons found selling at public auction after this date, without proper authority, will be legally proceeded against. See Act appointing Auctioneers and prescribing their duties; Sec. 11th and 21st.

C. E. BUCKINGHAM,
jan22 1w County Treasurer.

☞ **Knickerbocker Association.**—Notice is hereby given to the members of the above association, that a special meeting will be held at the Union Hotel in this city on WEDNESDAY Evening next at Eight o'clock. A general attendance is especially desired, for the purpose of hearing the reports of Committees and completing the organization. San Francisco January 20, 1851.

G. W. RYCKMAN, President.
J. L. VAN BOKKELEN, Recording Secretary. jan20 3t

☞ **Presbyterian Church, Happy Valley.**—The friends of this Church propose, according to the custom of many of the eastern churches, making a Donation Visit to the Rev. Mr. WILLEY, its respected Pastor, at his residence, on THURSDAY evening of this week, and hereby cordially invite all friends to unite with them on the occasion. jan15 g

☞ **Notice**—The Office of the COUNTY TREASURER is removed to the second floor of the CALIFORNIA EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, corner of Clay and Kearny sts, on the Plaza. C. E. BUCKINGHAM,
jan11 1m County Treasurer.

☞ **Notice.**—The undersigned has appointed Messrs. BORNEMAN & SCHLEEHTA, his Agents during his absence, to receive his rents. San Francisco, Dec. 14th, 1850. WM. W. HANNES.

☞ **Ship Mary Mitchell.**—Consignees by this ship are hereby notified that she is ready to discharge cargo, and are requested to call at MOORE & FOLGER'S, Montgomery street, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. jan9 G. B. ELKINS.

To the Public.

☞ DURING THE CONTINUANCE of the Injunction sworn out against the DAILY PUBLIC BALANCE, by "B R Buckelew Proprietor" "California Public Balance" the Journal printed and published by us in this city since Dec. 7th, 1850, will appear as the DAILY BALANCE.

It is, of course, the same journal in all other respects, as that always published by us, and it will be served as usual by our carriers.

We take this occasion to render our very sincere thanks to the Mercantile Community, and the Public generally, of San Francisco, for the manner in which they have sustained us against the attempt to "crush" us by an unscrupulous and lavish use of vast pecuniary means. The circulation and advertising business of the paper were never in better condition, and so long as they remain as they now are, we shall continue to publish our Journal for the people of this City and State.

EUGENE CASSERLY & CO.
San Francisco January 23, 1851. jan24 1t

A Card.

FROM THE *Public Balance* of the 20th day of last December, edited by Eugene Casserly & Co., we, the undersigned, extract the following paragraph:

"The *Public Balance*, though it has to thank the public for favor and support, liberal beyond example, is as yet, of course, only in its infancy. Our establishment however, is willing to do whatever it can for the Fireman's Fund; and the following are the contributions of a few minutes, in our office, from Proprietors, Editors, Compositors, &c.

Eugene Casserly & Co.	$25	Geo. J. Foster	[illegible]
Louis M. Booth	10	T. J. Griffiths	[illegible]
Simeon B. Conklin	10	Wm. H. Bugbee	[illegible]
Theodore Messerve	10	J. F. Damon	[illegible]
Fred. W. J. Brooks	5	H. F. Leavenworth	[illegible]
Joseph Harding	5	H. M. Hobson	[illegible]
Benjamin Griffin	5	Henry Tourney	[illegible]

Subject to the order of the Fireman's Fund.....$[illegible]

Now, we learned yesterday afternoon, from E. C. AUSTIN, Esq. Secretary of the Fund, that Mr. Casserly never paid over the above contributions notwithstanding he had been repeatedly requested to do so. Mr. Casserly owes each of us a considerable amount for services rendered, which he has not paid, and we think it very unjust that we should be deprived of our just dues, and the Firemen of our contributions through the conduct of a person who holds himself up before the public as the paragon of virtue and victim of persecution.

San Francisco, Jan. 23, 1850.

SIMEON B. CONKLIN,
FRED. W. J. BROOKS,
JOSEPH HARDING,
WILLIAM LAILEY,
BENJAMIN GRIFFIN,
GEO. J. FOSTER,
WM. H. BUGBEE,
jan23 1 T. J. GRIFFITHS.

A. J. YATES,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
San Jose;

Having an extensive Library of Civil, Spanish and Mexican Laws, and the advantage of practice under them for many years, briefs of cases, involving those laws will be prepared on application, or extracts of the laws given in translation, on application, accompanied by reasonable fees. jan23 1m

A FINE INVOICE

OF BLANK BOOKS and STATIONERY, just received per ship Lebanon, from New York consisting of superb, full bound, royal and medium Records, half bound cap do., 400 doz. demy Bank Books, 100 doz. Pass Books, 300 reams superior letter and cap Paper, of best manufacture. English cream-laid letter, for circulars and prices current; legal cap, copying and envelope paper. A large and well selected lot of blank cards, viz.: Perkin's enameled, thin French, People's, satin enameled, India, Ivory, colored of all sizes and qualities, 40 Manifold Writers, from 5 to 20 qrs. each; 5 doz. large office Inkstands, Britannia and and Silliman's; Counting House Stationery of every description, fine Cutlery, &c. &c. The above was purchased per our order, and will be sold at reasonable rates, wholesale and retail, at the Pioneer Book Store by

MARVIN & HITCHCOCK,
jan23 1w Herald Building, Montgomery st

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

BONESTELL & WILLISTON, have just received per steamer OREGON, and offer for sale the following

NEW BOOKS.

THE G'HALS OF NEW YORK, by NED BUNTLINE.
ROLAND CASHEL, by Lever, equal to Chas. O'Malley
EVERY LADY'S BOOK, a Collection of Household Receipts.
Light and Darkness, or the Mysteries of Life, by Mrs. Crowe, author of the Night Side of Nature.
The Forest Rose, by Emerson Bennett.
Pride and Prudence, by T. S. Arthur.
Isabella, or the Pride of Palermo, an interesting tale.
Littell's Living Age, wholesale and retail.
All the latest papers from Boston, New York, New Orleans, &c.
Also, a few copies of DICKENS' HOUSEHOLD WORDS, for sale by BONESTELL & WILLISTON,
jan21 3 Post Office Piazza.

J. A. McCREA & CO.

NO. 12 JACKSON, cor. Balance st, offer the following merchandize at wholesale, ex WHITE SQUALL and LEBANON—

Blankets, silk and merino undershirts
Guernsey frocks, Berlin lined silk and buck gloves
Spun silk drawers, Brussells and Wilton carpet bags
Glazed and leather carpet bags
Plaid wool long shawls, opera hoods
Table spreads, silk hosiery, heavy bro sheetings
Blank books in sets, general stationery
American playing cards, French accordeons
Silver plated spoons and forks, gold and silver watches
Gold and mock jewelry, gold pens and pencils
Pocket knives, table castors, 4 and 5 holes
Marine and parlor clocks, fine Havana cigars
Calf boots, grained leather boots
Ladies' gaiters, kip brogans
Mahogany sofas, centre tables

TO ARRIVE—4 Herring's iron safes, Wilder's patent, large sizes. Also, invoices of general merchandise. jan23 2w

ORAGON LUMBER,

PER BARK SUCCESS—
25,000 feet 3 in plank,
70,000 " joist and scantling,
10,000 " 10x10 and 12x12 timber, for sale by
jan23 tf ABERNETHY & CO.
California street, 3 doors below Montgomery, up stairs.

WANTED,

A PARTNER, with a cash capital of $500 to $2,000, to take an interest in a safe and lucrative business. Apply to W. E. L., between 6 and 8, P. M. at the News office. jan 20t

VALLEJO.—A map of Vallejo, drawn, colored and extended, with scale of miles by J. C. Whiting, Surveyor General, may be seen at the office of the undersigned, agent for the sale of Lots in the intended capital.

F. MARRIOTT & CO
jan23 2t Loan and Land Agent.

FOR SALE—An invoice of COLT'S Revolving Pistols, assorted sizes. Apply to JOSEPH HENRIQUES.
jan23 2t No. 17 Commercial st.

LOTTERY.

TO BE DRAWN THIS EVENING.

TUCKER & REEVE'S
CATALOGUE OF THEIR FOURTH GRAND LOTTERY,
Valued at 20,000 Dollars!!

To be drawn on JANUARY 23d, 1851, at the CALIFORNIA EXCHANGE.

800 PRIZES! 4000 TICKETS, at $5 each!!

The Prizes to be seen at TUCKER & REEVE'S, Commercial street.

Numbers	LIST OF PRIZES.	*Value.*
1	gold hunting English case, M. I. Tobias watch and heavy guard chain	$450
2 to 7	gold guard chains, $25 each	150
8 to 14	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	112
15 to 16	California gold salmons, $15 each	30
17 to 20	gold vest chains, $25 each	100
21 to 24	gents open top seal rings, $16 each	64
25	Fine gold vest chain, (serpent)	75
26 to 28	gold guard keys, $8 each	24
29 to 30	gold pencil and pens, extension holders, $25 each	50
31 to 32	gents fine gold pencils, $20 each	40
33 to 34	gold sleeve buttons, $8 each	16
35	gents fine gold vest chain	55
36 to 37	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	32
38 to 41	gold fob keys, $8 each	32
42	gold fob chain	40
43 to 44	gold tooth picks, $10 each	20
45	charm (Faith, Hope and Charity)	10
46	gold key, do do do	8
47 to 49	gold pencils, $6 each	18
50	single stone diamond ring	100
51	do do	45
52 to 54	ladies finger rings, $8 each	24
55 to 57	gents open top seal rings $16 each	48
58 to 61	gold vest chains, $25 each	100
62 to 64	gold fob keys, $8 each	24
65 to 67	ladies brooches $16 each	64
68 to 70	fine ladies crosses, $10 each	30
71 to 74	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	64
75	ladies gold drop chain	45
76	gold vest chain	45
77 to 80	ladies imitation opal rings, $6 each	24
81 to 85	gents open top seal rings, $16 each	80
86 to 87	ladies brooches, $14 each	28
88	silver independent time watch	30
89	do do do do	40
90 to 91	opera glasses $16 each	32
92 to 98	California gold specimen rings, $25	175
99	fine ladies gold hunting watch	110
100	gold hunting lever, full jewelled	160
101	ladies garnet ear drop	16
102 to 106	gents gold pencils and pens, $16 each	80
107 to 108	coral ear loops, $16 each	32
109 to 112	gents seal rings $8 each	32
113 to 116	California gold specimen rings, $16 each	64
117 to 120	gold vest chains, $25 each	100
121	gold sleeve buttons	8
122 to 124	gold guard keys, $8 each	24
125	diamond cluster ring	150
126 to 130	gents seal rings $8 each	32
131 to 134	gold hunting lockets, $15 each	60
135	California gold salmon	15
136 to 139	bead purses, $6 each	24
140 to 142	fine gold pencils, $18 each	36
143 to 149	California specimen rings, $25 each	175
150	fine English case double time, independ't second lever watch	225
151 to 153	gold pencils, $7 each	21
154 to 156	ladies cluster brooches, $5 each	15
157 to 158	gold pencils, $20 each	40
159 to 160	fingerrings, $6 each	12
161	gents seal (horse)	32
162	do	28
163	gold fob key	10
164 to 166	gold guard keys, $8 each	24
167 to 171	California specimen rings, $20 each	100
172	Dancing Jack	6
173 to 174	gold fob keys, $8 each	16
175	gold hunting independent time watch	175
176 to 178	coral crosses, $10 each	30
179 to 180	ladies coral ear rings, $16 each	32
181 to 182	Jenny Lind ear loops, $10 each	20
183 to 186	California specimen rings, $16 each	64
187 to 190	gold vest chains, $25 each	100
191 to 194	California specimen rings, $30 each	120
195 to 197	ladies cluster brooches, $5 each	15
198 to 199	gold thimbles, $10 each	20
200	ladies toilet box	16
201	diamond cluster pin	125
202 to 203	gents seal (Greek slave) $16 each	32
204 to 205	ladies brooches, $12 each	24
206	dog's head, (oxyde)	16
207 to 209	gents seal, $10 each	34
210 to 213	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	16
214 to 216	gold guard keys, $6 each	16
217	gents seal and key	16
218	gold vest chain, key and seal	16
219 to 221	pink stone crosses, $8 each	24
222 to 223	gold hunting lockets, $20 each	40
224	do do	15
225	diamond cross	150
226 to 228	ladies cluster brooches, $5	15
229 to 231	gents open top seal rings, $16 each	64
233	Tam O'Shanter seal	30
234 to 237	three stone rings, $8 each	18
238	antelope seal	38
239 to 242	California specimen rings $16 each	64
243 to 246	finger rings, $6 each	24
247 to 249	California specimen rings, $20 each	60
250	gold hunting detached lever	120
251 to 252	ladies brooches, $14 each	28
253 to 256	gents seal rings $8 each	32
257 to 260	gold pencils and pens $16	64
261 to 263	gold guard chains $30 each	90
264 to 266	ladies crosses, $10 each	30
267 to 269	ladies cluster pins, $5 each	16
270 to 271	ladies brooches, $16 each	32
272	heavy gold pencil	18
273 to 276	gents gold rings, $9 each	36
277 to 279	cluster brooches, $5 each	15
280 to 283	California specimen rings, $20 each	80
284 to 287	bead purses, $6 each	24
288 to 291	ladies gold pencils and pens, $15 each	60
292	California gold ring	30
293	do do	32
294 to 296	gents seal rings, $8 each	24
297 to 299	cluster pins $5 each	15
300	gold hunting double time independent second watch	225
301	gold detached lever	75
302 to 304	gold finger rings, $6 each	18
305 to 307	California gold specimen rings, $20 each	60
308 to 309	ladies garnet and pearl ear rings, $16 each	32
310	ladies pearl and tortoise ear rings	16
311 to 312	gents seal rings, $6 each	12
313 to 315	California specimen rings, $16 each	48
316 to 318	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	48
319 to 320	gold vest chain, $30 each	60
321 to 323	gold guard keys, $8 each	24
324	fancy pipe	8
325	diamond and opal ring	175
326	ladies chain	45
327 to 328	gold pens and pencils, extension holders, $25 each	50
329 to 330	gold crosses, $10 each	20
331 to 332	ladies ear rings, $10 each	20
333 to 335	finger rings, $6 each	18
336	bead purse	6
337	cayota seal and key	32
338	gold salmon	15
339 to 340	bead purses, $6 each	12
341	garnet stone ring	18
342	basket ear ring	16
343 to 345	California specimen rings, $16 each	48
346 to 349	pencils and pens, $16 each	64
350	diamond cluster ring	250
351	gold lepine watch	60
352 to 354	finger rings, $6 each	18
355 to 356	shell card cases, $6 each	12
357 to 359	California specimen rings, $16 each	48
360 to 363	gents seal rings, $8 each	32
364 to 372	California specimen rings, $25 each	225
373 to 374	gold fob key, $6 each	12
375	gold hunting M. I. Tobias watch	200
376	gold detached lever do	70
377 to 379	gents seal rings, $8 each	24
380 to 382	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	48
383 to 385	cluster pins, $6 each	18
386	Eagle bird seal	30
387	Greek slave seal	16
388 to 390	finger rings, $6 each	18
391 to 394	California specimen rings, $20 each	80
395 to 397	gents seal rings, $8 each	24
398	diamond cluster pin	110
399	diamond cross pin	250
400	paper cutter, stamp, knife and pen, gold	180
401 to 403	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	48
404 to 407	finger rings, $6 each	24
408 to 412	California specimen rings, $25 each	125
413 to 415	gents seal rings, $6 each	18
416 to 417	California specimen rings, $25 each	50
418 to 419	gents seal rings, $6 each	12
420 to 423	gold guard keys, $6 each	24
424	gold pencil and pen	20
425	African bear seal	30
426	California specimen ring	25
427 to 428	finger rings, $6 each	12
429 to 431	California specimen rings, $16 each	48
432 to 436	gold pencils, $8 each	40
437 to 439	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	48
440 to 441	gents seal ring $6 each	12
442	ladies pin	14
443 to 445	cluster pins, $5 each	15
446	camel seal	20
447 to 449	gold pencils, $8 each	24
450	Eagle bird seal	40
451 to 453	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	48
454 to 458	California specimen rings, $25 each	125
459 to 461	gents seal rings, $6 each	18
462 to 464	ladies rings, $6 each	18
465 to 467	gold vest chains, $25 each	75
468 to 470	seal rings, $6 each	18
471 to 474	gold guard keys, $8 each	32
475	Fox seal	30
476 to 479	cluster pins, $6 each	24
480 to 484	California specimen rings, $25 each	125
485 to 487	finger rings, $5 each	15
488	silver watch	10
489 to 491	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	48
492 to 494	gold finger rings, $6 each	18
495 to 499	gold pencils, $10 each	50
500	diamond ear rings	250
501	General Taylor seal	16
502 to 504	ladies rings, $6 each	18
505 to 509	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	80
510 to 515	bead purses, $6 each	30
516 to 519	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	64
520 to 524	gold pencils, $5 each	25
525 to 527	embossed cigar cases, $5 each	15
528 to 531	gold vest chains, $30 each	120
532 to 535	gold pencils $5 each	20
536 to 537	diamond rings, $120 each	240
538 to 541	embossed cigar cases, $5 each	15
542 to 547	ladies reticules, $9 each	54
546 to 551	gold vest chains, $30 each	120
552 to 559	gold pencils, $5 each	45
560 to 564	gold pencils and pens, $15 each	75
565 to 568	embossed cigar cases, $5 each	20
569 to 572	gold pencils, $10 each	40
573 to 575	cluster pins, $5 each	15
576 to 577	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	32
578 to 480	gold vest chains, 50 each	150
581 to 583	bead purses, $6 each	18
584	gold pencil	6
585 to 589	gold pencils, $5 each	25
590	gold fob chain, cayota seal	80
591 to 595	gold pencils, $8 each	40
596 to 599	gold guard chains, $66 each	264
600	gold hunting J F Cooper duplex watch	250
601 to 602	diamond rings, $110 each	220
603 to 607	small gold pencils, $5 each	30
608	bead purse	6
609 to 611	gold pens and pencils, $16 each	48
612 to 614	bead purses, $6 each	18
615	gents seal ring	8
616 to 620	gold pencils, $5 each	26
621 so 623	gold vest chains, $45 each	136
624 to 627	bead purses, $6 each	24
628 to 629	gold pencils and pens, $16 each	32
630 to 632	cluster pins, $5 each	15
633 to 634	gents seal, (Horse and Dog) $12 each	24
635 to 639	gold pencils, $5 each	25
640 to 642	bead purses, $6 each	18
643 to 644	gold fob chain and guard chain, $40 each	80
645 to 649	gold pencils, $5 each	25
650	diamond cross	225
651 to 652	bead purses, $6 each	12
653 to 655	gold pencils, $15 each	45
656 to 658	cluster pins, $5 each	15
659 to 664	gold pencils, $5 each	30
665 to 674	California specimen rings, $25 each	250
675 to 676	diamond cluster rings, $120 each	240
677 to 686	gold pencils, $5 each	50
687 to 689	ladies riding dresses, $30 each	90
690	gold vest chain	32
691	gold fob key	8
692	gold tooth pick	10
693 to 696	shell card cases, $6 each	24
697 to 699	gold guard chains, $32 each	96
700	gold hunting lever	150
701	gold detached lever	75
702 to 711	small gold pencils, 5 each	50
712 to 721	California specimen rings, $25 each	250
722 to 724	gold guard keys, $8 each	24
725	gold independent time watch	150
726	Henry Clay seal	40
727 to 738	California specimen ring, $16 each	192
739	gold specimen pin	25
740 to 742	Colt's revolvers, $50 each	150
743 to 745	Wesson revolvers, $50 each	150
746	Storming of Chapultepec, in gilt frame	40
747	gold vest chain	25
748	do do	45
749	do do	30
750	ladies diamond ear rings	250
751	gold lever watch	60
752 to 761	California gold specimen rings, $25 each	250
762 to 767	gents scarf pins, $8 each	48
768 to 769	gold sleeve buttons, $6 each	12
770	ladies cluster brooch	8
771	gold mackerel	15
772 to 777	gold guard chains, $32 each	192
778 to 779	gold hunting skeleton levers, $150 each	300
780 to 785	gold detached levers, $70 each	420
786	gents seal, (greyhound)	35
787	do (Jenny Lind)	35
788	gold hunting lever watch	150
789 to 792	gold guard chains, $32 each	128
793	diamond and opal ring	175
794	fine gold hunting lever watch	155
795	gold lever watch	60
796	diamond cluster ring	180
797	do do	150
798	fine gold hunting lever watch	175
799	skeleton lever, M I Tobias, hunting case	200
800	two magnificent paintings	1200

jan11 TUCKER & REEVES.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.
GRAND LOTTERY!

OF VALUABLE AND USEFUL ARTICLES to be drawn on St. Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, on the Plaza. 1000 TICKETS! 200 PRIZES! In this Lottery, will be distributed to the lucky holders of Prize Tickets, a choice lot of valuable Gold Watches, Gold Pen and Pencil Cases, Gold Chains, and other Jewelry.

Also, a superior lot of Clothing made by one of the most fashionable tailors in Philadelphia, of the finest quality of French Cloth and Cassimere, consisting of Coats, Cloaks, Vests, Pantaloons, &c.

Also, a fine lot of Colt's Revolving Pistols, with Mahogany cases complete. The Goods can be seen and Tickets procured at LADLEY & BRO'S.

No. 19 Commercial st. 4th door above Mrs. Whitney's. Tickets FIVE DOLLARS.

List of the Prizes.

Nos.		*Value.*
1	Heavy hunting, extra-jeweled gold chronometer watch and key	$275
2 to 7	Six pair superfine black cassimere pants	90
8 to 13	Six gold fish	30
14 to 18	Five superfine black frock coats, full trimmed	225
19	Gold lever anchor hunting watch	160
20 to 24	Colt's revolvers, with mahogany cases	205
25	Gold guard chain, new style	30
31	Gold and enameled lever watch	160
32 to 40	Nine superior fine cassimere pants	135
41	Gold lever anchor hunting watch	160
42 to 53	Twelve superior cassimere pants	180
54 to 56	Three superfine dress coats, black	105
57 to 58	Two gold watch keys	10
59 to 60	Two superfine brown frock coats	70
61 to 72	Eleven super new style, woolen velvet vests	110
73 to 74	Two gold fish	12
75	One gold watch	100
76 to 81	Six gold fish	30
82 to 89	Superfine fancy-colored, cassimere pants	90
88 to 90	Three gold fish, extra	18
91 to 93	Three gold pens & pencils, very superior	60
94 to 99	Six superior black cassimere pants	90
100 to 103	Three full circle, superfine black cloth cloaks, and velvet trimmed	300
103 to 104	Two gold watch keys	12
105	Gold guard watch chain	25
106 to 110	Five Colt's revolvers, mahogany cases	205
111	One gold guard chain, new style	40
112 to 115	Four superfine extra black frock coats	140
115 to 119	Four superfine extra dress coats	180
120	One fine gold watch	85
121 to 122	Two gold pens and pencils	24
123 to 125	Three gold watch keys	18
126 to 131	Six pair superfine cassimere pants	90
132 to 137	Six superfine woolen velvet vests, new style	72
138 to 139	Two Gold watch keys	16
140	One gold guard chain heavy	45
141	One gold lever hunting watch	150
142 to 144	Three embroidered black cassimere vests, very superior	45
145 to 150	Six pair superior, fancy cassimere pants	[illegible]
151 to 153	Three Colt's revolvers, mahogany cases	135
154 to 155	Two Colt's revolvers, mahogany cases	80
156 to 159	Four gold pens and pencils	45
160 to 165	Six superior woolen velvet vests	72
166 to 167	Two gold watch keys	14
168 to 179	Twelve superior fancy cassimere pants	180
180 to 185	Six gold fish	30
186	One lady's gold guard chain	50
187 to 191	Five superfine ribbed pants	75
192 to 196	Five gold pens and pencils	75
197	gold enameled lady's watch	125
198 to 199	Two gold keys, extra	20
200	One lever hunting watch	175

jan22

A PRIZE WORTH HAVING.

THE ROCHESTER HOUSE AT LOTTERY! This House is situated on Sacramento st, well furnished with lodging accommodations, &c; and a Well of good water, which brings in $150 per month. This house is doing a first-rate business. The Proprietor, having been in the business in this place for over one year, and wishing to return to the States, offers the House and fixtures for sale at $4500. Tickets $10 each. It will be drawn for about the 26th inst, or as soon as all the tickets are sold. For sale at the House in Sacramento st. Call and see for yourselves.

P.S. Notice of the time, place, &c, will be given in a few days. jan7 ALBERT C. TRUE, Proprietor.

. TO NEW ORLEANS—The only Express for NEW ORLEANS direct by every Steamer. All business punctually attended to, by E. B. HIGGINS Esq. Agent of GREGORY'S EXPRESS, Office, 23 Camp street, New Orleans. jan22 tf

LECTURES ON PHYSIOLOGY.

DR. H. GIBBONS invites the attention of the citizens of San Francisco to a course of Lectures which he is about to give on HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY, embracing the following outline:

A general view of the Animal Kingdom; Varieties of the Human Race; the Stomach, Digestion and Nutrition; Heart, Circulation and Uses of the Blood; Lungs, Respiration and Voice; Brain and Nervous System; Somnambulism, Mesmerism, Phrenology, &c &c.

The Lectures will be illustrated with Diagrams and other means adapted to a popular audience of both sexes. The course will consist of at least twelve Lectures, to be given on TUESDAY and FRIDAY evenings, in the Baptist Chapel, Washington street. Tickets for the course, $10; to be had at Dr. Rabe's store, or from the Lecturer. Single Lecture $1 50

A public introductory Lecture will be given on FRIDAY, 24th inst at 7 P.M. The regular course will commence on the ensuing TUESDAY. jan22 3

OREGON LAND

AND LUMBER OFFICE, 276 Montgomery street, San Francisco.—The subscriber agent for the town of Saint Helens, Columbia river, offers liberal inducements to persons desirous of settling in Oregon. Also, keeps a general assortment of Oregon and other lumber at his lumber yard, North Beach. d18 6m GEO. H. ENSIGN.

SEALED PROPOSALS,

WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until THURSDAY, Jan. 23d, for building and furnishing the materials for a good and substantial Wharf, say thirty feet wide, running from Leidesdorff to Davis streets, on Sacramento. Contracts will specify the size of timber to be used, with plan of fastenings.

J. B. BOND,
J. D. STEVENSON,
W. L. BROMLER,
jan21 Committee for Property Holders.

WILLIAMS & MEIGGS,

LUMBER DEALERS, foot of Clay street, opposite Godeffroy & Sillem's, have constantly on hand a general assortment of seasoned lumber UNDER COVER! Also, Doors, Windows, Counter-tops, newel posts, balusters, hand rails and mouldings; 100,000 feet 3x9 Baltic floor joist assorted lengths, now landing. jan15 1m*

NEW DAGUERREOTYPE ROOMS.

R. H. VANCE invites public attention to the splendid Miniatures which he is now executing at his rooms on Clay street, over Steadman & White, jewelers, and nearly opposite the Adelphi Theatre.

Possessing a thorough knowledge of the art, by a long and continued practice of some years in some of the principal cities of the United States and South America, he feels perfect confidence in warranting satisfaction to all. Miniatures taken every day, without regard to weather, in any style, in Lockets, Pins, Rings, Bracelets, of any size or description, or in cases. Also, copies taken of Paintings, Drawings, Plans or machinery. Views taken of the city, or any part of it, at the shortest notice. jan21tf

AUCTION SALES.

J. N. CALDWELL, Auctioneer.
CALDWELL & EMERSON,

CALDWELL & EMERSON will sell THIS DAY, at sales room, No. 277 Montgomery street—

20 cases cherry cordial, 1500 lbs lard, 25 bbls lamb's tongues, 1500 lbs Sydney cheese, 40,000 lbs Brazil sugar, 3000 adamantine candles, 16,000 cigars, 250 doz Baird's ale, 100 doz Tennent's do, 500 bed cords, 3000 lbs potatoes.

—ALSO—

Iron safes, copying presses, dressing cases, grindstones, cutlery, chisels and other tools, bathing tubs, 1000 feet gutters for roofs, cooking stoves and many articles of hardware to close the invoice. 20 casks English cut and wro't nails, 3 tons assorted English iron.

At 12 o'clock—

8 crates assorted earthenware, 6 splendid mirrors, 44x24 inches, furniture and a variety of clothing, Guernsey frocks &c. 75 bales Louisiana moss, for mattresses, 3000 lbs Dupont's gunpowder. jan23

HENRY B. LAFITTE, Auctioneer,
By HENRY B. LAFITTE & CO.,
(No. 279 Montgomery street.)

THIS THURSDAY morning, Jan. 23d, at 10 o'clock, a large and desirable assortment of merchandise, well worthy the attention of dealers. Sale positive. jan 23

By RISING, CASELLI & CO.
(Sales Room, California st, betw Leidsdorff and Sansome.)

Agents in New York—E. B. SUTTON & Co. 84 Wall st.

AT PRIVATE SALE.
200 boxes Malaga raisins
20 hf and qr bbls clear pork
10,000 lbs sugar cured hams, extra prime quality
5000 lbs best quality clarified lard
40 bbls crushed sugar
14 gross monte cards
150,000 Spanish cigars various brands jan22

BY JOHN MIDDLETON, Auctioneer.

THOMAS J. L. SMILEY. WILLIAM S. WILLIAMS.

A CARD—The Auction and Commission business will be continued as heretofore, at the sales room Washington street below Montgomery, by JOHN MIDDLETON, Auctioneer.

REGULAR SALES as follows:
On MONDAYS, Catalogue Sales of Boots, Shoes and Clothing.
On WEDNESDAYS and FRIDAYS, Cargo Sales of Groceries, Liquors and Staple Goods. jan17

Sale of Groceries, Liquors, Cigars, &c.
ON FRIDAY, Jan. 24th, at Sales Room, at 10 o'clock,
30 cases super claret
150 do St Julien do
25 eighth casks cognac brandy
15 casks Baird's Scotch ale
150 tins ground coffee
30 puncheons Brandywine corn meal
20 cases London dock port wine
20 do chocolate jan 23

AT PRIVATE SALE.
20 shares stock in the Guadalupe Quicksilver Mining Company.

—ALSO—

BARK CARLISLE—The A 1 bark Carlisle, 500 tons measurement, 700 tons burthen, full inventory, in perfect order, well found, and ready for any voyage. Apply to JOHN MIDDLETON. jan20

STEAMERS.

FARE REDUCED.
LAW'S LINE FOR PANAMA—THE ONLY DIRECT MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK—The steamship REPUBLIC will leave San Francisco for Panama, February 1st, 1851, and connect at Chagres with the steamer Georgia, for New York and New Orleans.

The freight on Treasure will be reduced by this ship to 1½ per cent. through to New York, for sums over $3,000.

For through tickets to New York and New Orleans, apply to OLIVER CHARLICK, Agent for the Line.
jan20 Office corner of Sansome and Jackson sts

Only Direct Line for Panama, by U.S.M. Steamers.
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
CONNECTING with the U.S. Mail Steamers CHEROKEE and PHILADELPHIA, at Chagres.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Steamer TENNESSEE, George A. Cole, Esq. commander, will leave for Panama direct, on THURSDAY, Jan. 23 at 4 P.M.

Treasure for shipment received at the Company's office foot of Sacramento street, on TUESDAY, 21st, and WEDNESDAY, 22d inst. Passengers are requested to be on board at noon on the day of departure.

The Tennessee will connect with the U.S. Mail Steamers CHEROKEE, for New York, and PHILADELPHIA, for New Orleans, which vessels will leave Chagres on arrival of the passengers and treasure.

For passage, apply at the office of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, corner of Leidsdorff and Sacramento streets. jan17

REGULAR SEMI-MONTHLY STEAMER
FOR MONTEREY, SAN LUIS OBISPO, SANTA BARBARA, SAN PEDRO and SAN DIEGO, on or about SATURDAY, Feb. 1st. The new and fast-running steamship CONSTITUTION, Lieut. S. B. Bissell, U. S. N., commander, will leave Cunningham's wharf, at 4 o'clock, for the above named places. An experienced Surgeon accompanies the ship. For freight or Passage, having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to

COOKE BROTHERS & CO.,
jan20ts Brick Store, California st.
No freight will be received on the day of sailing.

FOR GOLD BLUFF,
KLAMATH RIVER and TRINIDAD BAY.—To sail positively on SUNDAY, 26th inst. at 10 A.M. from Cunningham's wharf, the substantial, well built sea-going steamer GOLIAH, G. Thomas, master, of 500 tons burthen. She will positively leave for the above places as stated, and having very superior accommodations, offers great inducements to passengers. For freight, or passage apply to

CHAS. MINTURN, Agent,
Cunningham's wharf, or to
BOYDEN, TRAVERS & CO.,
jan22 4 Central Wharf.

FOR SANTA CLARA AND SAN JOSE.
CHANGE OF DAYS.—The steamer NEW STAR, Capt. E. Sampson, Jr., will leave Central Wharf, on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS, at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the above places, connecting with stages at Alviso for San Jose. For freight or passage, apply on board. Freight taken at $12 per ton.
jan20 tf

CHANGE OF BERTH.
From end of Central Wharf every day at 4 P. M.
PEOPLE'S LINE FOR SACRAMENTO AND MARYSVILLE
THROUGH TO MARYSVILLE IN 24 HOURS.

THE Steamer NEW WORLD, Capt. Wood Hutchins, leaves every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY.

The Steamer SENATOR, Capt. Jno. Van Pelt, leaves every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY.

Passengers by this line will be taken at the lowest rates, and can depend upon reaching Sacramento City in time to connect with the very fast running steamers Dana and Fashion, reaching Marysville within the time named. They are particularly requested to examine the superior accommodations of these boats before engaging elsewhere. Orders for freight left at the banking house of Messrs. Wells & Co., corner of Montgomery and Clay streets, at Messrs. Gibbs & Co., corner of Washington and Sansome streets, before 12 M., or with the subscriber, will be attended to the same day.

CHARLES MINTURN, Agent.
Steamboat Hotel, corner of Davis st. and Central wharf.
Or Cunningham's wharf.

N. B. All persons are hereby notified that Messrs. FREEMAN & Co., are the only authorized Express on these boats, and all packages of value or gold dust left with the Clerks, are at the risk of the parties leaving them, or of the parties to whom they belong. And any persons sending letters or other Express matter, they will be charged $50 per package. jan9 tf

FOR SAN JOAQUIN CITY,
AND THE UPPER SAN JOAQUIN,
Direct from San Francisco, weekly. The superior fast steamer MAUNSEL WHITE, will leave Central Wharf regularly every Saturday at 12 o'clock. For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board. Freight taken to all points in the Upper San Joaquin, Tuolumne and Merced, at very low rates, affording every facility to miners and traders, in the Merced and Mariposa regions. jan9 2m

FOR SAN JOSE, SANTA CLARA & ALVISO.
THE NEW and Fast-running Steamer JENNY LIND, P. E. Lefevre, master, will leave Central Wharf, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 9 o'clock, A.M., for the above places, connecting at Alviso, with Stages for San Jose, leaving Alviso for San Francisco on alternate days. For freight or passage, apply on board, or to

FRED'K P. GREEN, Agent,
jan8 tf Foot of Clay street.

OLD BOURBON, Copper-distilled WHISKY of 1840. A few casks of this superior Whisky for sale by CALDWELL & EMERSON,
jan18 1w No. 177 Montgomery street.

TO GARDENERS—TO RENT, on the Presidio road, near the Lagoon, about 3 acres of LAND, well adapted to Gardening purposes. Apply to
H. WINCHESTER,
jan17 tf Pacific News Office.

HATS! HATS! HATS!
JUST RECEIVED, per WHITE SQUALL, a splendid lot of the latest New York style of Hats. Also, Navy Caps and children's fancy Paris Hats. Gentlemen are requested to call and examine them, at
EVERETT'S HAT EMPORIUM,
jan20 3t 24 Commercial st.

NOTICE.

100 DOLLARS REWARD.—Any person giving such information as will bring to justice the individuals who committed the depredations on board brig James Caskie, on Friday night, Oct. 25, shall receive the above reward. n2 tf

WANTED—Information of JAMES MOFFITT, Printer, from New York city. Any person knowing his whereabouts, will confer a favor by sending word to this Office. jan18tf

SHIPPING.

FOR OREGON,
COLUMBIA RIVER, landing at ASTORIA, and FORT VANCOUVER, the A 1 fast-sailing schooner GRANIA, Capt. O. N. Jenkins, will positively sail on SATURDAY next, for the above ports. For passage, having superior accommodations, apply on board off Cunningham's wharf, or to NEEFUS & TICHENOR,
jan23 3t Foot of Jackson st.

FOR SALE,
THE fine, fast-sailing, coppered and copper-fastened bark SUCCESS, four years old, in good order for any voyage. For terms, &c. apply to
jan23 3t ABERNETHY & CO.
California st, 3 doors below Montgomery, up stairs.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER—The new, A 1, coppered and copper fastened, fast sailing Philadelphia built barque MARGARET, burthen 250 tons, will carry the bulk of 3,000 barrels. Apply on board at foot of Jackson street, to
JOHN L. V. REYNEGOM, master, or to
HAVEN & CO.,
jan21 3t* Montgomery st.

FOR PORTLAND,
OREGON, via GOLD BLUFF. The fine bark ABBY BAKER, having been thoroughly overhauled and repaired, will be dispatched as above, on or about February 1st, and can accommodate comfortably passengers for either of the above ports. For freight or passage apply to WINTER & LATIMER.
jan18 ts Foot of Pine street.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A 1 COPPERED and copper fastened brig CHINA, 1 year old, 176 tons burthen, now lying at the foot of Jackson street, and can be sent to sea without any expense. She has a full inventory, and an extra suit of new sails. Inventory can be seen at our counting room, or on board. Being of a fast sailing model and having superior cabin accommodations is a very desirable vessel for the Klamath river, or Sandwich Islands trade. RISING, CASELLI & CO.,
jan17 1w California st, near Sansome.

TO CAPTAINS of vessels and CONSIGNEES.—Stone Ballast furnished in small or large quantities at one hour's notice, at the lowest market price. Apply to JAMES H. RAY,
Jackson street, one door below Stockton.
FOR SALE—8 carboys Sulphuric Acid. jan22 1w

WANTED—To BUY or CHARTER a fast-sailing VESSEL, of about 100 tons. Apply to
CHAS. BAUM, Custom House Broker,
jan20 3 Next door to Custom House, Montgomery st.

FOR SALE—The fine American brig COL. TAYLOE, 150 tons, in good order for any voyage. Apply to ENDICOTT, GREENE & OAKES.
jan18 6 First st, near Market, on the beach.

FOR SALE—A first-class SCHOONER, 114 tons, eighteen months old, copper and copper-fastened, well found in sails and rigging, and can be sent to sea with no expense; desirable vessel for Gold Bluff. Apply to
jan17 2w WM G. BADGER,
Sansome st. between Washington and Jackson sts.

FOR SALE.
BARK OHIO, 375 tons, 5 years old, ready for sea, in perfect order for any voyage, well found in every respect, together with her cargo, 550 tons COAL. Apply on board, or to the office of SALMON & ELLIS,
jan10 tf Pacific street.

NOTICE TO SHIPMASTERS AND OWNERS.
WE, the Undersigned, shipwrights of San Francisco, have completed our arrangements for heaving out vessels of any size, that may need overhauling from keel to light water. Mr. Thompson, a master rigger, may be found on board the ship Pico, south side Rincon Point, at all times, who will give immediate attention to orders left with him, or orders left at Hawley, Sterling & Co's, foot of Sacramento street, will be attended to.
d16 tf HUDSON, SMITH & LESTER.

TO LET, LEASE & FOR SALE.

TO RENT.
THE NEW WAREHOUSE or STORE just erected on Battery street, near Pine, 20 feet by 50, built in the most substantial manner, and suitable for a wholesale or large retail business. Apply to
d11 tf WINTER & LATIMER,
Next door, or to ENDICOTT, GREENE & OAKES.
First street, near Market.

FOR RENT, AT CONVENIENT TERMS, the 3 story Brick and Iron Warehouse, 40 by 60 feet, on Montgomery street, next to the Custom House, hitherto occupied by Messrs. J. B. Cannon & Co., either the whole or the different stories to suit parties.

It being desirable to let the whole building under a lease for six or eight months, the terms will be reduced accordingly. Apply to EDWARD VISCHER, near the premises. d17 tf

FOR RENT.—The second story of the large Iron Warehouse on Sansome street, near Jackson. The location is one of the best in the city for business, and has facilities in the rear for direct communication with lighters.

GRAYSON, GUILD & LIGHTNER,
d3 on the premises.

NEW BOOKS FOR CALIFORNIA.

BURGESS, GILBERT & STILL, the only authorized agents of the Eastern Publishers, have just received, per steamer OREGON—

GODEY'S, GRAHAM'S, SARTAIN'S and HARPER'S MAGAZINES for January.
THE LADDER OF GOLD, an English story, illustrated by Robt Bell, Esq.
Singleton Fontenoy, by James Hannay, author of Sketches in Ultramarine.
The Divorced Wife, by T. S. Arthur, author of Love in a Cottage, &c.
Cruisings in the Last War, by C. J. Peterson, Esq.
The Green Hand, a short Yarn.
Pride and Prejudice, or the Married Sisters, by T. S. Arthur.
Isabella, by the author of The Autobiography of an Orphan Girl.
Celio, or New York Above Ground and Under Ground, by G. G. Foster, Esq.
THE G'HALS OF NEW-YORK, a Sequel to Mysteries and Miseries, by NED BUNTLINE.
The Luttrells, or the Two Marriages, by Folkenstone Williamson, Esq.
North British Review, for August, 1850.
Cruise of the Crescent, or the Boatswain's Prize, by Sir Admiral Fisher, author of the Petrel.
DAVID COPPERFIELD, Complete, illustrated, by Boz.
Together with a large assortment of English, French, German, Spanish and American papers, from all parts of the Union, constantly on hand and for sale, wholesale and retail, by BURGESS, GILBERT & STILL,
jan21 3 Portsmouth Square.

UMPQUA.

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders in the UMPQUA COMPANY, that at a general meeting held in the evening of the 10th, inst. it was resolved that all assessments on shares in said company still remaining unpaid, be paid in to the Secretary of the Board of Directors within fifteen days.

In default of such payment the shares on which assessments shall remain due after that time, will be offered for sale at public auction. By order of the Board of Directors.
jan16 tf ALEX. G. ABELL, Secretary.

FOUR NATIONS RESTAURANT.

LONG WHARF.—The subscribers, believing the variety and quality of their viands to be the best recommendation to favor, beg to assure the Public, that all efforts shall be made to ensure satisfaction.

Furnished rooms at reasonable prices. d24
S. PIANCA.
JOHN BASSETT.

KLAMATH GOLD BLUFF.

BOOKS WILL BE OPEN THIS DAY, FRIDAY, from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M., at Kendig Wainwright & Co's, for the sale of a limited amount of the Stock of the PACIFIC MINING COMPANY. By order of the Board of Directors. JOHN A. COLLINS, Secretary.
jan 10

COAL YARD.

A. S. ROGERS & CO, Sansome, between Washington and Jackson sts; the first established Coal Yard, in San Francisco.

Coal delivered in large or small quantities, in any part of the city, at reduced rates. Public houses, restaurants, and private families, furnished at the shortest notice.

A. S. ROGERS,
W. WHITTIER,
d26 O. DEAN.

GOLD DUST

BOUGHT OR INSURED, and forwarded to any part of the States, by way of New York or New Orleans, at the lowest rates, by GREGORY'S Express,
o18 tf Office 250 Montgomery Street.

PILE DRIVING.

WHARVES and FOUNDATIONS built, and Water Lots enclosed with despatch, for cash or on shares; 200 piles and 120,000 feet square timber for sale; Lumber in great variety. GEORGE GORDON.
jan18 1m Wharf Builder, California st. Wharf.

SAVING TO STOREKEEPERS and Restaurants.—Green coffee sent into the Java House roasted and rogund, packed and delivered. McCORMACK & CO.
n11 Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters, 244 Mont'y

FOR SALE—The cargo of the ship Charleston, expected in a few days, from the coast of Mexico, consisting in part of sheep, hogs, turkeys, corn, beans, peas, onions, preserved plantains, Chile pepper, vanilla beans; fresh schrimp, oysters, and dried fish; lard, cocoa oil, oranges, chocolate, limes, sweetmeats, pine apples. Apply to
G. MEREDITH,
jan20 10t Corner of Leidesdorff and Sacramento sts.

JUST RECEIVED—Per White Squall—BILLIARD TABLES, of Bassford's most approved style and make, Warranted to be equal if not superior to any in the market. For sale by G. MEREDITH,
jan20 6t Leidesdorff and Sacramento sts.

PIGS—A fine lot of Sow and Boar PIGS, for Breeders, just received Per bark E. Fletcher, and for sale by
PICKETT & CO.
jan11 2w Foot of Jackson street wharf.

TO THE DRESS CIRCLE OF SAN FRANCISCO—Just received, an invoice of superior light Vests, suitable for Balls and Parties, and for sale by
WILLIAM G. BADGER,
jan15 Sansome st, betw. Washington and Jackso

IMPORTANT TO LAWYERS—The subscribers have for sale copies of the Statutes of California, slightly damaged by water, which will be sold at a very low figure. Also, a few perfect copies.
COOKE & LECOUNT,
jan 13 Montgomery street.

EX TALBOT,

AND OTHER late arrivals, and for sale by the undersigned—

Crushed sugar, sugar-cured hams
English dairy and navy cheese
Superior Goshen butter, in 10, 15, 20 lb kegs
Sardines, in qr, hf and whole boxes, refined leaf lard
Malaga raisins, Carolina rice, Rio coffee
Dried apples, pickles, pepper sauce, tomato catsup
Clams, oyster soup, lobster, Stoughton wine bitters
Sour krout, English mustard, brandy peaches
Table salt, saleratus; Spices, consisting of—
Pepper, allspice, citron, nutmegs, ginger, &c.
Also, French dress silks, do ribbons
Demi and Chantilly veils, hkfs, Broche shawl
Superior quality French shawls
Gent's and ladies white kid gloves
Embr'd linen shirts, German oilcloths, extra pat ns
Also, blue, scarlet, drab, slate and cadet mixed colored
Ingrain carpets, a complete assortment blankets
Buffalo robes, long-legged boots, superior quality

BRAGG & WHITTEMORE,
California st, near Montgomery,
jan4 1m 69 Liberty st, New York.

CARGO

OF BARK ISABELLA BLYTH, imported direct from China and Manilla, selected expressly for the California market, for sale by the subscriber; consisting in part of

Superior green and black tea in canisters.
Nests black, blue, green and scarlet camphor trunks.
Ass'ted China preserves, preserved ginger, oranges, &c.
Rolls China matting, assorted China lacquered ware.
Assorted colors crape shawls, colored sewing silks.
Assorted China furniture, consisting of rattan chairs wardrobes, couches, superior marble tables.
Pinia, or pineapple dress pieces.
Manilla coffee, do sugar, do Nos. 1 and 2 cigars.
Manilla cordage, colored silk bandas or sashes.
Gunny bags, iron hinges.
Horse cloths, leeches, cocoanuts, &c, &c,

T. SHILLABER, (late EVERETT & Co)
Stevenson & Parker's new building, foot of Sacramento st. wharf, up stairs. d24 tf

SALE OF WATER LOTS.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDINANCE of the Common Council, passed August 23d, 1850, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the city of San Francisco, will offer for sale at public auction, all the WATER LOTS remaining unsold between Rincon and Montgomery Points, at the California Exchange, Portsmouth square, at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 3d day of APRIL next.

City Scrip and Audited Accounts will be taken at their par value in payment for the property sold.

Catalogues, containing a full description of the Lots, will be ready for distribution at the Mayor's office three weeks prior to the sale.

JOHN W. GEARY,
B. L. BERRY,
TALBOT H. GREEN, } Commissioners.
WM. HOOPER,
JAMES KING, of WM.

Jan. 2, 1851. jan4 td

PAULISON'S COAL YARD.

THE UNDERSIGNED would inform his friends and the public that he has recently opened the large and commodious COAL YARD, situated at the foot of Washington, a few doors below Sansome street.

LACKAWANNA,
LEHIGH,
CUMBERLAND,
NEWCASTLE,

and other descriptions of Anthracite and Bituminous Coals constantly on hand.

Steamers Blacksmiths and Restaurants supplied at the shortest notice, wholesale and retail.
jan17 1m C M K. PAULISON

SCRIP

OF THE GOLD BLUFF MINING COMPANY.—"In union there is strength." This certifies that Mr —— is entitled to — share in the GOLD BLUFF MINING Co. vessel-property, claims, profits, and advantages. The property of the Company to be managed by the member or officers chosen by them from their own number. Each shareholder is entitled to one vote, a free passage up and down, free living on board, his share of the earnings of the vessel and of all the property. But if he declines working with the other members, he loses his claim to a share of their daily profits.

N. B. Also, two month's provisions for each stockholder and the use of a large machine for separating the gold from the sand, is guaranteed.

WM. H. HALL & CO. Agents.
jan15 tf No. 5 Commercial st. near Central Wharf.

LIGHT! LIGHT! LIGHT!

PURE Winter-Strained SPERM OIL.—The subscribers take this method to inform the consumers of Oil that they are now prepared to furnish a pure article at low rates.

Grocers, Hotel and Saloon Proprietors are invited to call on us previous to their purchasing.

jan7 1m CORNELL & McKIBBIN, Refiners,
Jones' alley, between Jackson and Washington sts.

SAN FRANCISCO. SAN JOSE.
NEW ARRANGEMENTS.

THE PROPRIETORS of the U.S. MAIL Line of Stages have discontinued running their line *through* by land between San Francisco to San Jose, and are now running a DAILY Line to and from the Embarcadero in connection with the steamers WM. ROBINSON and NEW STAR.

All their old friends and the traveling public will find this a much cheaper and more pleasant route than by land, at this season of the year

ACKLEY & MAURISON,
d30 1m Stage Proprietors.

CROCKERY & GLASSWARE.

JUST RECEIVED, per recent arrivals a full assortment, suitable for HOTELS, RESTAURANTS and STEAMBOATS of the latest shapes and patterns, consisting partially of

WHITE IRON STONE Dining Sets.
Flown Blue and light blue do do
White Iron Stone and printed chamber sets
do do do bar and table pitchers,
do do do coffee cups and saucers,
do do do plates and dishes,
Cut and Pressed bar tumblers, round bottom small size,
do do decanters and bitter bottles
do do champagne and wine glasses, tall and low shapes.
Britannia and plated castors, with cut and pressed bottles
Waiters, knives and forks, spoons, lamps, candlesticks, &c

☞ Also, A FULL ASSORTMENT of common ware suitable for the up country trade, by the crate, or carefully repacked to order. SHIRLEY & BAYLEY.
Brick store, Montgomery st. near the corner of Jackson st
jan17 1m

BALDWIN & CO'S COIN.

THE ABOVE COIN, issued by Baldwin & Co., is redeemed at the Banking and Exchange Office of
EDWARD E. DUNBAR,
d3 tf Montgomery street

FOR SALE.

50,000 LBS Fresh Sandwich Islands Potatoes
30,000 lbs New Zealand do, for seed
10 M feet white oak plank
5 M do ash do
20 M clear pine do
A ship's new long boats
A new scow, by G. B. ELKINS,
jan1 tf At the Philip Hone warehouse, Buckelew's wharf.

WATER-PROOF BOOTS

A SPLENDID STOCK of Water-proof Boots, manufactured by the celebrated maker ROGERS, of Broadway, New York—a sufficient guaranty of their quality—just received by the Sarah Sands. Also, a very full assortment of Fine Clothing.

d24 1m CRONIN & MARKLEY,
278 Montgomery st. next door to Delmonico's.

STORAGE.

I AM now ready to take in storage, all kinds of mdze. and lumber, at reasonable rates, on board the ship GANGES, laying at the foot of Pacific street. Inquire on board, of Capt. W. BENTON, or to
THOS. S. BARNSTEAD,
n27 Third door below Sansome st., in Jackson, north side

PUBLIC NOTICE.

BERFORD & CO. would respectfully announce to the Public that they will not hold themselves responsible for losses of monies, packages or letters unless they are deposited with our agent, Mr. Bonacina, in San Jose, or left at their office in San Francisco, and have their *printed stamps* on. They send a daily mail. d25

GRIST MILL FOR SALE.

ONE OF PAIGE & PRENTICE'S Improved Patent Portable Grist Mills, on hand and for sale by
GRAYSON, GUILD & LIGHTNER,
jan6 Sansome st., near Jackson.

CARGO of the bark EDWARD FLETCHER—
900 hf sacks Chili Flour,
1800 qr do do
100 bags Beans
100 do Bran
Onions, Pumpkins, &c, &c,
Just received, and for sale by PICKETT & CO.
jan 11 2w Foot of Jackson street wharf.

STATUTES OF CALIFORNIA.

PRICES REDUCED—The subscribers have received by the OREGON, a small number of perfect copies of the Laws of the State, which they offer to the profession at reduced prices. The undersigned improves this occasion to say that they have exclusive possession of the few copies printed beyond the order of the State.

COOKE & LECOUNT,
jan22 1w Law Booksellers,
Sacramento Transcript and Placer Times please copy.

OAK PLANK.

THE UNDERSIGNED offers for sale, 12 M feet of 2, 3 and 4 inch plank, suitable for ship building, now landing on California street wharf, or will exchange the same for white pine boards, house frames, doors or sash.

BENJ. REYNOLDS,
jan22 3t Howison's Pier, Sacramento st.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the name of WEISS & PEARCE, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All claims will be settled by the old firm, and all parties indebted to said concern are requested to make immediate payment. San Francisco, January 20, 1850.

A. WEISS.
jan22 3 H. A. PEARCE.

TO CAPTAINS AND SHIP OWNERS.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED a fine lot of CHARTS, &c. to which we invite the attention of those interested:

Blachford & Co's latest and best Charts of North and South Pacific and Indian Oceans.
Charts of Australia and Polynesia.
" China Sea.
" Malacca Straits.
" Singapore "
" Sunda "
Horsburgh's East India Directory; complete edition of 1600 pages.
The above will be sold very reasonable.

MARVIN & HITCHCOCK,
jan18 6 Herald Building, Montgomery st.

AN ACT to Establish Pilots, and Pilot regulations for the Port of San Francisco.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§1. It shall be the duty of the Governor to appoint two resident Merchants, and two experienced and resident Ship Masters, who, together with the Harbor Master of the Port, shall constitute a Board of Pilot Commissioners for the Port of San Francisco.

§2. The persons thus appointed shall take an oath for the faithful discharge of their duties, and shall hold their office for the term of one year, and until their successors are appointed and qualified.

§3. The Commissioners shall keep an office at San Francisco, and shall meet therein on the first Monday of each month. A majority shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

§4 They shall appoint a Secretary, who shall hold his office for one year. He shall give bond, with security, to be approved by the Commissioners, payable to the State of California, in the sum of ten thousand dollars; conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duty, which bond shall be filed in the office of the County Clerk, and be for the use of the party aggrieved.

§5 The Commissioners shall make By-Laws and Rules for their own government, not inconsistent with the provisions of the laws of this State or the United States.

§6. The Commissioners shall have power to purchase an Iron safe for the keeping of money, papers, books, or other things of value belonging to their office.

§7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep correct minutes of all the proceedings of the Commissioners, in books provided for that purpose. To receive all money, and pay out the same when ordered so to do by the Board, and shall register the names of all Pilots, with the date of their licenses. These registers and books shall always be open to public inspection.

§8. He shall keep a monthly record of the arrival and departure of the pilot boats, names and residences of all pilots, and to perform such other duties as the Board may direct.

§9. The Secretary shall receive for his compensation, such sum as the Commissioners may deem just.

§10. Neither the Commissioners or the Secretary shall have any interest, directly or otherwise, in any pilot boat, or the earnings thereof.

§11. The Commissioners shall have power to appoint, in the manner prescribed in this Act, such number of pilots for said port as they may deem necessary.

§12. Persons applying for licenses to act as pilots for the port of San Francisco, shall be American citizens, and not under the age of twenty-one years, and in presence of one or more licensed pilots shall be rigidly examined by the Commissioners, touching their qualifications, concerning their knowledge of the management of square-rigged vessels, of the tides, soundings, bearings and distances of the different shoals, rocks, bars, and points of land, and night lights of the Harbor and Bay; and if deemed to be qualified, shall receive a license as a pilot, which shall expire at the end of twelve months.

§13. Every licensed pilot, previous to entering on his duties, shall give bond to the amount of five thousand dollars, payable to the State of California, for the faithful discharge of his duty, which bond and security shall be approved of by the Commissioners, and shall be filed in their office.

§14. The Commissioners shall have full power to suspend pilots, or revoke their licenses, on proof of incapacity or misconduct.

§15. As soon as a sufficient number of pilots are associated to keep a boat, such boat shall be numbered by the Commissioners, in the order of application, and her name and number duly recorded by the Secretary, and such number shall be distinctly painted in black letters, to be at least two feet long, and above the balance reef of the foresail of such boat; the pilots shall then select one from their number, whose duty it shall be to make reports to the Commissioners.

§16. On the first Monday of every month, the person so selected shall pay over to the Secretary the amount of percentage assessed by the Commissioners for the purpose defined in this Act, and report the names of the vessels, and the amount received from each, verified by his signature.

§17. Every pilot, on boarding a vessel, when required by the master thereof, shall exhibit his license to such master, and on refusal so to do, shall be liable to a penalty of fifty dollars.

§18. Any pilot absenting himself from his duty for more than two months, except on leave granted by the Commissioners, or by sickness, shall be considered as having forfeited his license.

§19. In case a pilot does not apply at the end of the time for which his license was granted, for a renewal of the same, he shall be considered as suspended.

§20. If any licensed pilot shall become intoxicated whilst having charge of any vessel as pilot, he shall be suspended or dismissed, as the Commissioners may direct.

§21. Not more than six pilots shall be in copartnership, or interested at any one time in the business of piloting, and for any infringement of this section, shall be subject to such penalty as may be determined by the Commissioners.

§22. The Commissioners may require pilots to renew their bonds and securities whenever it is deemed necessary and they may take away the license of any pilot for wilful infringement or violation of their duty, or negligently losing any vessel, or for mental derangement, or habitual drunkenness: *Provided*, due notice in writing be given to such pilot, and an opportunity be afforded him of being heard in his own defense.

§23. For carelessly or negligently losing a vessel, on conviction thereof, the pilot having charge of said vessel at the time, shall be incapable ever after of acting as pilot, and shall moreover be liable for damages on his bond. If a vessel be run ashore by a pilot, no pilotage shall be charged, and if negligently done, the pilot shall be liable for all damages.

§24. It shall be the duty of every pilot in charge of a vessel arriving in the harbor, to have the vessel safely moored, in such position as the master of the vessel, or Harbor Master of the port may direct.

§25. When complaint is lodged with the Commissioners against a pilot, for misbehavior or neglect of duty, it shall be reduced to writing and sworn to. Notice thereof must be then given to the pilot, and he shall be notified to appear within fifteen days to answer the complaint. If the answer be not satisfactory, he may be fined not exceeding five hundred dollars, or deprived of his license, at the discretion of the Commissioners. An appeal may be made by the pilot within fifteen days from the decision of the Commissioners, to the County Court of the County of San Francisco.

§26. Each and every pilot boat shall keep on board a journal, noting in detail all incidents of weather, and all discoveries which may be made of rocks, shoals or bars, in the Bay of San Francisco and vicinity, such as may be considered dangerous to navigation. False entries therein shall subject the parties offending to fine or loss of license, or both, at the discretion of the Commissioners. And the said journals shall be open to the inspection of the Commissioners.

§27. No persons, except those licensed by the Commissioners, shall pilot vessels in or out of the harbor or bay of San Francisco, for hire, under penalty of five hundred dollars for each and every offence. This penalty is not incurred when the master of a vessel acts as his own pilot, or in case of distress.

§28. Applications for pilots for vessels outward bound, shall be made at the office of the Commissioners; the secretary shall then direct a pilot to such duty, giving preference to the pilot who brought the vessel in; and a pilot refusing or neglecting, shall be fined not exceeding five hundred dollars, or suspended, according to the discretion of the Commissioners.

§29 The Commissioners may make all needful rules and regulations for the government of the pilots, and establish penalties for the breach thereof, and shall prepare printed instructions for pilots, and furnish each of them with a copy of such rules, regulations and instructions, together with a copy of this Act.

§31. The following fees shall be charged by the pilots of the Port of San Francisco:

1st, For bringing in a vessel from or within a line of San Pedro, Farallones and Point de Los Reys, into the harbor, shall be eight dollars per foot draught.

2d, For bringing in a vessel beyond the above mentioned line, ten dollars per foot draught.

3d, For piloting a vessel out of the harbor, eight dollars per foot draught.

4th, Foreign vessels not entitled to equality by treaty, shall pay one-fourth more than the above rates.

5th, American or foreign men-of-war, twelve dollars per foot draught, either inward or outward bound.

§32. The pilotage from quarantine to anchorage opposite San Francisco, and for piloting vessels about the harbor, shall be at such rates as may be agreed on between the parties.

§33. Any vessel with a pilot on board, being detained more than twenty-four hours by contrary winds, bad weather or other cause not the fault of the pilot, shall pay to such pilot the sum of eight dollars per day, exclusive of his regular fees, for each day's detention, whether such vessel be inward or outward bound.

§34. The pilot first offering his services to any vessel shall be entitled to half pilotage, though his services may be rejected: Provided, that all vessels engaged in the coasting trade of this State or Oregon, not exceeding one hundred and seventy-five tons burthen, shall not be liable to the provisions of this section.

§35. Pilots blown off or carried to sea against their will when a boat is in attendance to receive them, shall be entitled to receive the sum of eight dollars per day while absent, which if not paid by the master or owners, shall be collected from the consignee or consignees, or either of them.

§36. The master, owner, or consignee of any vessel to whom any pilot may have rendered upon request of either of them, any extra service for the preservation of such vessel while in distress, shall pay such pilot in addition to his regular fees, such amount as the Commissioners shall determine to be a reasonable and just reward: Provided no special agreement shall have been made between such master, owner, or consignee of such vessel and the pilot.

§37. A pilot boarding any vessel having a signal for a pilot, shall be entitled to receive full pilotage.

§38. If a vessel bound to San Francisco be lost within the line of Point San Pedro, Farallones, and de Los Reys, having had a signal for a pilot, and been in sight of either of the above named points, and not having been able to procure a pilot, the Commissioners shall cause inquiry into the facts, when if it shall appear that the pilots have been neglecting their duty, the Commissioners shall suspend or displace the parties guilty, and shall publish the result of their investigation.

§39. The Commissioners shall have power to assess all fines and penalties either on the pilots or any other person or persons for a violation of any of the provisions of this Act, and shall have power to sue for and collect the same in their own name; the money so collected shall be appropriated to the use and benefit of the Marine Hospital, which may be established at San Francisco, and paid to such person as may be entitled by law to receive the same.

§40. The Commissioners shall be entitled to charge for such and every license to a pilot, not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars, and any master of a coasting vessel being an American citizen, can upon application to the pilot Commissioners obtain a special license for the use of such vessel only: by paying unto said Commissioners for the same, at the rate of one dollar per ton, all such vessels to be under one hundred and seventy-five tons.

§41. The Commissioners shall be entitled to receive a per centage, which they shall determine, upon the joint earnings of the pilots, sufficient only to pay all necessary expenses for the employment of Secretary, rent office, stationery, lights and fuel, at the end of twelve months, any surplus of such percentage over and above such expenses shall be held in trust and paid as prescribed in section thirty-nine of this Act.

§42. All claims against said Commissioners shall be considered at a stated meeting, and if correct, shall be allowed and paid.

§43. At the expiration of every six months the Secretary shall cause to be published in a newspaper published in San Francisco, a full account of all receipts and expenditures for the said time.

§44. When cruising off or standing out to sea, pilots shall go to the vessel nearest shore, or in the most distress, under a penalty of one hundred dollars, and for refusing to go on board a vessel when required, a like penalty of one hundred dollars shall be imposed, and in either case, upon complaint and conviction, the pilot may be suspended or expelled at the discretion of the Commissioners.

§45. Pilots shall at all times keep a boat in good condition, and sea worthy, and of sufficient capacity to cruise seaward beyond the headlands of the Harbor, also, such boarding or row boats as shall be necessary.

§46. If any pilots in endeavoring to assist or relieve any vessel in distress, shall suffer loss or damage in his boats, sails, tackle, rigging, or appurtenances, the master, owner, or consignee of such vessel, shall pay the value of such loss or damage, to be assessed by the Commissioners.

§47. Pilots heretofore appointed, or who may hereafter be appointed, shall conform to and be governed by the provisions of this act, and such quarantine laws as may hereafter be enacted.

§48. The act entitled "An act in relation to the appointment of Pilots for the different ports and harbors of California," approved January the eighth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, so far as relates to the Port of San Francisco, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

JOHN BIGLER,
Speaker of the Assembly.
JOHN McDOUGAL,
Lieut. Gov. and President of the Senate.
Approved, February 25, 1850.
PETER H. BURNETT.

AN ACT regulating the Quarantine of Vessels at the Port and Harbor of San Francisco.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§1. The quarantine anchorage shall be designated by buoys to be fixed under the direction of the Health Officer, and shall be as near as possible to the Marine Hospital; and every vessel subject to quarantine shall anchor within them.

§2. Every vessel in this act directed to be subject to quarantine, shall immediately on her arrival, proceed to and be anchored at the place there assigned for quarantine, and shall remain there with her officers, passengers and crew, during her quarantine, subject to the examination the Health Officer or Board of Health shall lawfully impose.

§3. All vessels arriving in the bay of San Francisco, from sea, are declared to be subject to such quarantine regulations as are prescribed in this act.

§4. All vessels subject to a regular quarantine shall, if navigated by steam, be subject only to such length of quarantine and other regulations as a majority of the Board of Health shall enjoin.

§5. The quarantine of other vessels shall be limited by the discretion of the Health Officer; but unless under special circumstances and with the sanction of the Board of Health, it shall not exceed the time requisite for a due examination of the vessel and cargo, and a compliance with the regulations of this act.

§6. It shall be the duty of the Health Officer to board every vessel immediately on her arrival, and make strict search and inquiry into the health of the crew and passengers, and into the state and condition of the vessel and cargo; and in the discharge of this duty, he may put all such questions to the persons on board as he shall judge necessary and proper to enable him to ascertain the condition of the vessel, and the quarantine to which she ought to be subjected; and the persons to whom such questions shall be put, shall, if required, answer the same under oath, which the Health Officer is hereby authorized to administer; and the Health Officer shall make a daily report to the Board of Health respecting every vessel that he shall visit, and containing all such information as may enable the Board of Health to determine what measures in respect to such vessel ought to be adopted.

§7. When the regular period of quarantine has expired, if the Health Officer judge the vessel and cargo free from infection, he or the Board of Health shall relieve the vessel from quarantine.

§8. Every vessel subject to quarantine must be designated by a quarantine flag, to be fixed in a conspicuous part of the main shrouds of the vessel, until the expiration of her quarantine.

§9. No lighter shall be employed to load or unload vessels at quarantine, but by the permission of the Health Officer, when they shall be subject to such restrictions as he may impose.

§10. No vessel subject to quarantine shall remove from the quarantine grounds without a written permit from the Health Officer.

§11. It shall be the duty of the Board of Health to provide a building, at a safe distance from the hospital buildings, on the hospital grounds, for all passengers of a vessel or vessels placed under quarantine, who are not diseased, who may choose to go on shore; and those who are unable to maintain themselves shall be provided for by the master, owner or consignee of the vessel, unless in cases where a special agreement to provide for themselves during the voyage has been entered into, in which case they shall be provided for by the Board.

§12. The cost of erecting such buildings shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars, and the weekly charge for pay patients shall not exceed twenty dollars per week; the accommodations shall be of good quality, and such as are usually provided for at boarding houses.

§13. Every master of a vessel subject to quarantine shall proceed with and anchor his vessel at the place assigned for quarantine at the time of his arrival; he shall submit his vessel, cargo and passengers to the examination of the Health Officer, and furnish all necessary information to enable that officer to determine to what length of quarantine and other regulations they ought respectively to be subjected.

§14. Every master of a vessel hailed by a pilot, who shall either give false information to such pilot relative to the condition of his vessel, crew, passengers, or cargo, or refuse to give such information as shall be lawfully required, or land any person from his vessel, or unload or tranship any portion of his cargo before his vessel shall have been visited or examined by the Health Officer; or shall approach with his vessel nearer than the place of quarantine to which he shall be directed, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and for each offence shall be fined in a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars; and every person who shall land from any such vessel, or unload or tranship any portion of his lading under the like circumstances, shall be considered guilty of a like offence, and be subject to the like penalty.

§15. Every person who shall willingly or knowingly oppose or obstruct the Health officers or pilots in performing the duties required of them in this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; the fine for each offence not to exceed one thousand dollars, nor the imprisonment three months.

§16. Every person who shall go on board of, or have communication or intercourse with any vessel at quarantine without the permission of the Health Officer, shall be considered guilty of a misdemeanor, and punished by fine and imprisonment; and such offender shall also be detained at quarantine so long as the Board of Health shall direct, not to exceed twenty days, unless he shall be taken sick of some pestilential or infectious disease.

§17. Whenever the Board of Health, or either of them, shall charge in writing, any pilot with any violation or neglect of duty, the Pilot Commissioners shall suspend such pilot from his office until he shall have entered into a recognizance before some magistrate of the State of California in the sum of five hundred dollars, with sufficient sureties, to appear and answer to the offence charged, at the next term of the District Court of San Francisco.

§18. It shall be the duty of each pilot belonging to the port, to use his utmost endeavors to hail each and every vessel which he shall discover to be entering the Bay of San Francisco from sea, and to demand of the master of every such vessel, whether any person has within ten days died or been sick with a malignant or contagious disease on board.

§19. If either of the above questions shall be answered in the affirmative, the pilot shall immediately give notice to the master of the vessel, that he, his vessel, crew, passengers and cargo, are subject to the examination of the Health Officer, and shall direct him to proceed and anchor his vessel at the quarantine anchorage, there to await the future directions of the Health Officer.

§20. It shall be the duty of every pilot who shall conduct into port a vessel subject to quarantine: 1st, To bring such vessel to anchorage within the buoys marking the quarantine anchorage. 2d, To prevent any vessel or boat from coming alongside of the vessel under his charge, and to prevent any thing on board from being thrown into any other vessel or boat. 3d, To present to the masters of the vessels a printed copy of this Act, when such copy shall have been delivered to him for that purpose. 4th, To take care that no violation of this Act be committed by any person on board; and to report such as may be committed as soon as may be to the Health Officer.

§21. Any vessel arriving at the port of San Francisco that has no malignant or contagious disease on board, shall not be subject to quarantine.

§22. The master, owner, or consignee of every vessel subject to regular quarantine of thirty days, shall forthwith upon the requisition and under the direction of the Health Officer, cause such vessel, her cargo and clothing to be purified; and shall cause said vessel to be fumigated with mineral acid gas, when required by the Health Officer.

§23. And when the regular period of quarantine shall have expired, if the Health Officer shall judge the vessel clean and free from infection, he shall release the vessel from quarantine, and report the same to the Board of Health, but none of the officers, passengers or crew of any such vessels shall leave the quarantine ground until ten days after the last case of pestilential or infectious fever shall have occurred on board.

§24. The Health Officer, if he shall judge it necessary to prevent infection or contagion, may cause, upon the order of the Board of Health, any bedding or clothing on board a vessel subject to quarantine, or any portion of her cargo that he may deem infected, to be destroyed.

§25. The Health Officer, upon the application of the master of any vessel under quarantine, and his consenting to pay for the maintenance of the offender whilst in custody, may direct to be confined in some suitable place on shore, any sailor or mariner on board of such vessel, who shall have committed an offence punishable by the laws of this State, or of the United States, and who cannot be properly secured for punishment on board of his vessel; such confinement shall continue during the residue of the quarantine of the offender, and the expenses of maintaining the offender shall be charged and paid in the same manner as the expenses of maintaining poor passengers.

§26. Every master of a vessel subject to quarantine, arriving within the bay of San Francisco, from sea, who shall refuse or neglect either: 1st, To proceed with and anchor his vessel at the place assigned for quarantine at the time of his arrival. 2d, To submit his vessel, cargo and passengers to the examination of the Health Officers, and to furnish all necessary information to enable that officer to determine at what length of quarantine and other regulations they ought respectively to be subjected. 3d, To remain with his vessel at quarantine during the period assigned for her quarantine, and whilst at quarantine to comply with the directions and regulations of this act, and with such as any of the Officers of Health, by virtue of the authority given to them by this act, shall prescribe in relation to his vessel, his cargo, himself, or his crew, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment; the fine for each offence not to exceed one thousand dollars, nor the imprisonment twelve months.

§27. Every person who, without the authority of the Health Officer or Board of Health, shall wilfully go within the inclosure of the quarantine grounds shall be considered guilty of a misdemeanor, the fine for each offence not to exceed five hundred dollars, nor the imprisonment thirty days.

§28. Every person who shall go on board of, or have any communication, intercourse, or dealings with any vessel at quarantine, knowing the vessel to be in quarantine, without the permission of the Health Officer, shall be considered guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by fine not less than one hundred dollars, nor more than five hundred dollars.

§29. Such offender shall also be detained at quarantine so long as the Board of Health shall direct, not exceeding ten days, unless he shall be taken sick of some pestilential or infectious disease.

§30. It shall be the duty of the Health Officer to give immediate information to the Board of Health, of every such transgression, the circumstances attending it, and the condition of the vessel with which a communication shall have been had; and the Board may determine how long the offender ought to be detained at quarantine.

§31. Every person under quarantine shall be subject to the penalty of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars, who shall elope from or wilfully go beyond the bounds assigned to him for his quarantine, and it shall be the duty of every Justice of the Peace, or other magistrates, before whom any such offender shall be brought, to order him by warrant to be re-conveyed to the quarantine ground, there to remain the residue of his term of quarantine. All fines or penalties collected under the provisions of this act, shall be appropriated to the funds of the Marine Hospital.

§32. Every person who shall violate, refuse or neglect to obey or comply with any order, prohibition, or regulation, made by the Board of Health, in the exercise of the powers herein conferred, shall be considered guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by fine at the discretion of the court by which the offender shall be tried.

JOHN BIGLER,
Speaker of the Assembly.
JOHN McDOUGAL,
Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved, April 9, 1850.
PETER H. BURNETT.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE,
SAN JOSE, April 12th, 1850.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original act now on file in this office.

W. VAN VOORHIES.

AN ACT providing for the creation of a Marine Hospital for the State of California.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§1. There shall be established within and for the State of California, a Marine Hospital, and all buildings belonging to, or connected therewith, shall be erected upon grounds containing not less than twenty acres, and which at the time of such erection, shall belong to the State and shall be situated upon the bay of San Francisco, and not less than two nor more than twelve miles distant from that part of the town of San Francisco, known as "Clark's Point."

§2. The said Marine Hospital, together with its lands and all buildings and improvements which may be made thereon, shall be held by the Board of Health, in trust, for the people of this State, for the purposes specified in this Act. And said Board of Health shall have power, and are hereby required to purchase said lands, and erect for the said Marine Hospital proper and necessary buildings and improvements, as soon as funds sufficient for such purposes, over and above salaries and other incidental expenses, shall be received by them in their official capacity; Provided, however, that the whole cost of the said grounds, hospital and other buildings and improvements so to be erected, shall not exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars; and until such time as the said grounds shall be obtained, and the necessary buildings erected thereon and ready for the use of the said Marine Hospital, the said Board of Health shall be authorised to make suitable temporary arrangements for the same, within the limits prescribed by the first section of this act.

§3. The Board of Health shall cause a draft of such building or buildings to be made as they may deem necessary for the Marine Hospital, which draft or plan shall be subject to the inspection of the Governor of the State, and if he approve the same, they may receive sealed proposals for the furnishing of the material, and for the erection of the same, and the contract shall be given to the lowest responsible bidder.

§4. The sums necessary to keep the buildings of the Marine Hospital in good repair, including the expenses of erecting all such buildings, and for making such improvements as the Board of Health shall deem indispensable, shall be charged as part of its annual expenses.

§5. The Health Officer shall reside at the Marine Hospital, unless otherwise directed by the Board of Health, and shall by right of office be Physician of such Hospital, give orders for the admission of patients, and have the immediate control of its inmates, and shall employ and discharge all nurses and attendants; but the Board of Health shall, in all other respects, have the superintendence thereof; make rules and orders for its government, and provide bedding, clothing, fuel, provisions, medicine, and such other articles as shall be requisite therein, and shall pay out of the funds of the Hospital all wages for said nurses and attendants, as well as all incidental expenses of said Hospital, and shall fix the compensation of said nurses and attendants.

§6. The Board of Health shall, at all times, furnish a convenient boat, with sufficient boatmen, for the use of the Health Officer and Resident Physician, the expense of which shall be charged to the funds of the Hospital.

§7. All sick sailors, mariners and other persons who shall have paid hospital money, or for whom the bond hereinafter mentioned shall have been given, shall be entitled, free of charge, to all the benefits of the said Marine Hospital, and to be there provided for while sick; and also such other persons as the authorities of the city of San Francisco may request; provided, the said authorities shall pay therefor such charges as the Board of Health may direct; and every sick person sent to the Marine Hospital, shall be there kept and attended to with all necessary and proper care; and no such person shall leave the Hospital until the Health Officer shall grant a discharge in writing.

§8. The Health Officer may direct, in writing, any constable to pursue and apprehend any person not discharged as aforesaid, who shall elope from the Hospital, and to deliver such person at the Hospital, to be there detained until regularly discharged. It shall be the duty of the constable so directed to obey such instructions; and every person who shall so elope shall be considered guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment.

§9. All persons sent to the Marine Hospital other than those who shall have paid hospital money, who shall be provided for by the city of San Francisco, and such persons as the Board of Health shall exempt, shall pay a reasonable sum for their board, medicines and attendance; and for the recovery of such sum, the Board of Health may sue in their name of office.

§10. Within twenty-four hours after the arriving of any ship or vessel at the port or within the bay of San Francisco, and before leaving said port or bay for any other place within the limits of this State, from any of the United States other than this State, or from any country out of the United States, the master or commander of such vessel or ship on which such passengers shall have arrived, shall make a report in writing, on oath or affirmation to the Board of Health at their office in the city of San Francisco, which report shall state the name and number of all the cabin and steerage passengers, captains, mates and sailors, and also the name and residence of the owner or owners and consignee of such vessel. In case any such master or commander shall omit or neglect to report fully as aforesaid, or shall make a false report or statement, he shall forfeit the sum of five hundred dollars for every such passenger or person in regard to whom any such omission or neglect shall have occurred, or any false statement shall have been made, for which the owner or owners, or consignees of every such vessel or ship shall also be liable jointly and severally, and which may be sued for and recovered as provided in this act.

§11. It shall be the duty of the said Board of Health to require the owners or consignees of the said ship or vessel on which said persons have arrived, to give a several bond to the State in a penalty of two hundred dollars for each and every person included in such report, such bond being secured as hereinafter provided, conditioned to indemnify and save harmless the Board of Health, and each and every city, town or county in this State, from any costs which such Commissioners of Health, or such city, town or county, shall incur for the relief or support of the person named in the bond, within five years from the date of the bond; and also to indemnify and refund to the said Board of Health, city, town or county, any expense or charge they may necessarily incur for the support or medical care of the person therein. Each and every bond shall be secured by two or more sufficient sureties, being residents of the State of California; each of whom shall prove by oath or otherwise, to the satisfaction of the Board of Health, that he is owner of freehold in this State of the value of three hundred dollars over and above any claim or lien thereon against him; including therein any contingent claim which may accrue from or upon any former bond given under the provisions of this act.

§12. It shall be lawful for any owner or consignee at any time within two days after the arrival of such person or passenger in any ship or vessel at the port or within the bay of San Francisco, and before leaving said port or bay for any other place within the limits of this State, to commute for the bond or bonds so required, by paying to the Health Commissioner: 1st. For the master and each cabin passenger arriving in an American vessel from a foreign port, three dollars; for each steerage passenger, mate, sailor or marine arriving in such vessel, two dollars. 2d. For the mate and each cabin passenger arriving in an American vessel from any port in the United States, not on the Pacific, two dollars; for each steerage passenger, mate, mate sailor or marine arriving in such vessel, one dollar. 3d. For the master and each passenger arriving in a coasting vessel sailing from any American port on the Pacific, one dollar and fifty cents; but no such coasting vessel shall pay for more than one voyage in each month, computing from the first voyage in each year. 4th. For the master and each cabin passenger arriving in a foreign vessel from a foreign port, five dollars; but the owners or consignees of such foreign vessels as have been placed by treaty with the United States on an equality with American vessels, shall be placed upon the same footing in regard to commutation as is herein established for American vessels. The Health Commissioners shall give to such owner or consignee as shall pay the commutation aforesaid, a receipt containing all the names of the persons for whom such commutation shall have been paid; and shall also give to each individual for whom such commutation shall have been paid, a certificate or receipt, setting forth the fact that such commutation has been paid, and that the person described therein shall be entitled when sick to the benefit of the Marine Hospital.

The receipts of the Health Commissioner shall be deemed a full and sufficient discharge from the requirements of giving bonds as above provided.

§13 Each master, owner, or consignee paying "Hospital Money" shall be entitled to demand and recover from each person for whom they shall have paid the sum paid on his account.

§14. All monies received by the Health Commissioner under and by virtue of this act, shall be denominated "State Hospital Moneys," and shall be appropriated to the use of the Marine Hospital, except as herein otherwise provided, deducting to the Health Commissioner a commission of six per cent. for and upon all collections: Provided the percentage shall not exceed two thousand five hundred dollars for any one quarter.

§15. No clergyman shall be denied admission to the Hospital, or its patients, whenever application shall be made, or whenever such visit shall be desired by any patient therein. It shall also be the duty of the officers to provide clergymen with a boat for the purpose of performing such visits.

§16. The Board of Health shall keep an account of all unreclaimed effects of persons who shall have died at the Hospital, and shall, in their quarterly reports, report the same to the Comptroller; and if the same shall consist of money, they shall pay the same over to the Treasurer, to be considered a part of the State Hospital Fund, unless claimed by some person entitled thereto; and all other property of said deceased persons shall, after being unreclaimed for a reasonable time, be sold by the Commissioner of Health, and the proceeds disposed of in like manner.

§17. It shall be the duty of the Board of Health to furnish to the Governor of this State, as often as he may require, a full and correct report of all persons in the said hospital affected with any contagious or infectious disease, and of all such patients as may die or be discharged as cured. And the Board of Health shall, once in each year, publish a full and correct report of the number of persons received in said hospital for each month in the year, and of their disease; also, of the number discharged as cured, and of the deaths occurring therein, and from what cause; also, of all moneys received and expended, and for what purpose the same were so expended; and shall send a copy of such annual report to the Executive of State, on or before the fifteenth day of December, of each year; and the said Board of Health shall keep or cause to be kept books containing a full and correct record and account of all the affairs of the said Marine Hospital, and which shall at all times be open to inspection to any committee appointed for such purpose by the Legislature. For the expenses attendant thereon, as well as for all other expenses necessarily incurred by virtue of this act, the Board of Health shall have the right to draw upon the funds of the hospital.

§18. The Board of Health shall keep an office in the city of San Francisco, and be authorised to pay therefor out of the funds of the Marine Hospital, an annual rent not exceeding one thousand two hundred dollars, and shall keep the same open for the transaction of business between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and three o'clock, P. M., daily; and at said office there shall be kept an iron fire-proof chest, in which all moneys received by the Health Commissioner under this Act, shall be securely kept, and the said Health Commissioner shall once in each week make a full and complete report to the Board of Health of all moneys received or expended by him, for and on account of the said Hospital; and shall at the same time pay over to the Board of Health the balance remaining in his hands. It shall be the duty of the Health Commissioner to pay to the Health Officer of any State or City Hospital, for any person who may have been under their care entitled to the benefits of the Marine Hospital, at the same rate per week as is charged for pay patients in said Marine Hospital; but no moneys of or belonging to the said Marine Hospital shall be paid out, except by said Health Commissioner, and the account for which the same is paid out shall be first approved by a majority of the Board of Health.

§19. The Board of Health shall account quarterly to the Comptroller, under oath, for all moneys received and expended for and on account of the Marine Hospital; and if the moneys so received shall exceed the sum necessary to defray the expenses of their trust, including the fees or salaries to which they may be entitled, they shall pay over such surplus, quarterly, to the treasurer of the State, to be by him kept as a State Hospital Fund; and the said Board of Health by that name are hereby empowered to sue for and recover any moneys that may be due the Marine Hospital; and also all penalties and forfeitures provided in this act; and the same when received shall constitute a part of the fund of the Marine Hospital; and all moneys paid over by the said Board of Health to the Treasurer of this State as herein required, shall be accompanied by a statement, verified by the oath of one or more of said Board of Health, to the effect that they are the same particular moneys as shall have been received by them.

JOHN BIGLER,
Speaker of the Assembly.
JOHN McDOUGAL,
Lieut. Governor and Pres't of the Senate.
Approved, April 9, 1850.
PETER H. BURNETT.

AN ACT Creating Officers of Health for the Port of San Francisco, and Defining their Duties.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§1. There shall be established at the port of San Francisco a Board of Commissioners, entitled the "Board of Health," said Board of Health shall be composed of the Mayor of the city of San Francisco, a Health Officer, Resident Physician, and Health Commissioner, who shall perform such duties as may be prescribed in this and all other acts relating to the public health, and of which Board of Health the Mayor shall by right of office be President.

§2. No person shall be eligible to the post of Health Officer, Resident Physician, or Health Commissioner, until he shall prove to the satisfaction of the Legislature that he is a graduate of some regular medical institution, and has had an experience of at least three years in the practice of his profession.

§3. The Health Officer, Resident Physician, and Health Commissioner, shall be elected by a joint vote of the Legislature for the term of two years, or until their successors are qualified. Should the offices, from any cause become vacant before the expiration of the term aforesaid, the Governor shall have power to appoint a competent person or persons, who shall serve during the unexpired time.

§4. The Health Officer shall perform such duties as are specified in this or any other act, and such other duties as the Board of Health shall lawfully require.

§5. The Health Officer shall have power to appoint an Assistant, to be first approved by the Board of Health, for whose acts he shall be responsible, and who may perform all the duties of the Health Officer.

§6. The Resident Physician shall reside at the Marine Hospital, and shall be the consulting physician of the Hospital; his further duties shall be to visit all sick seamen on board ships in the harbor, and also all sailors and other persons in the city who have paid hospital money, and come properly under the care of, and have been reported to the Board of Health. But all persons affected with any contagious or infectious disease shall, if it be deemed expedient by the Board of Health, and the life of such person will not be endangered thereby, be removed to the Marine Hospital.

§7. The Health Commissioner, under the direction of the Board of Health, shall assist the Resident Physician in the discharge of his official duties.

§8. The Health Commissioner shall also receive all monies appropriated to the use of the Marine Hospital and shall pay all demands against the Hospital that shall be appropriated by a majority of the Board of Health; and before he shall enter upon the duties of his office, shall execute a bond in the penal sum of thirty thousand dollars, conditional for the faithful performance of his trust, and with such sureties as the Comptroller of State shall approve; the bond shall be given to the People of California, and be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

§9. In the discharge of their duties, the Resident Physician and Health Commissioner, shall meet daily in San Francisco at the office of the Board of Health, during such part of the year, and at such hours of the day as the Board shall designate.

§10. The Mayor of the city of San Francisco, the Resident Physician, and the Commissioners of Health, are hereby constituted a Board of Appeal from any direction or regulation of the Health Officer; with power to grant such and so much relief as may appear to the Board thus constituted, or a majority of them, expedient and proper.

§11. The Resident Physician shall receive annually a salary of ten thousand dollars, and such salary shall be paid out of the fund of the Marine Hospital. No person shall be eligible to the appointment of Assistant Health Officer who has not received a regular medical education, and had an experience of at least two years in the practice of his profession. The Assistant shall receive a salary of eight hundred dollars per month, to be paid monthly or quarterly by the Health Commissioner out of the funds of the Marine Hospital: Provided, the Board shall not employ an Assistant Health Officer, unless in case of absolute necessity, nor without the consent of the Chief Executive of the State.

§12. The Health Commissioner shall perform the duties of Secretary to the Board of Health, keep a correct journal of all their proceedings, which shall at all times be subject to the inspection of the Board of Health.

§13. The Health Officer shall be entitled to receive the following fees for visiting and examining vessels in the discharge of his official duties, viz: 1st. For each vessel from a foreign port, twenty dollars. 2d. For each vessel from any United States port, not on the Pacific coast, if above one hundred tons, sixteen dollars; not exceeding one hundred tons, twelve dollars; if below one hundred tons, eight dollars. And all vessels running coastwise from any United States port on the Pacific, not within the State of California, visited by the Health Officer, shall, for each and every visit, pay the sum of six dollars; and such fees shall be paid by the respective masters of the vessels so visited and examined.

§14. Every master, owner, or consignee of a vessel lying at wharf, or in the harbor of the city of San Francisco, shall make a report of the name of every person on board such vessel who may be sick with any contagious or infectious disease; and no such person shall be removed therefrom without a written permit for that purpose, from the Board of Health.

§15. Every person or persons who shall be guilty of obstructing either of the Board of Health in the discharge of their duties as prescribed in this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined for each offence in a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars.

§16. Every master or owner or consignee who shall wilfully or knowingly refuse or neglect to perform the duties enjoined in this act, shall, for each offence, forfeit to the Board of Health the sum of one thousand dollars.

§17. Whenever any fine shall be imposed by the provisions of this act, the person or persons so convicted to pay such fine, shall in the discretion of the court, stand committed until such fine shall be paid, or the person or persons so offending shall be discharged from such imprisonment, by due course of law.

§18. All fines collected under this act shall be appropriated to the funds of the Marine Hospital.

§19. The Health Officer, Resident Physician and Health Commissioner, upon wilful neglect or delinquency of duty, or for exercising powers not given to them, by this act, shall be liable in damages to any person or persons who may be injured thereby; and may be removed from office by the Governor of the State.

§20. The Legislature hereby reserves the right at any time to increase or diminish the tariff of fees and salaries assessed in this act.

JOHN BIGLER,
Speaker of the House of Assembly.
JOHN McDOUGAL,
Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved, April 8, 1850.
PETER H. BURNETT.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE,
April 12th, 1850.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original act now on file in this office.

W. VAN VOORHIES,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT to provide for the Lien of Mechanics and Others.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§1. All Master Builders, Mechanics, Lumber Merchants, and all other persons performing labor, or furnishing materials for the construction or repair of any building or wharf, shall have a lien separately, or jointly, upon the building or buildings, or wharf, which they may have furnished materials of any description, to the extent of the labor done, or materials furnished, or for both.

§2. Any such contractor, journeyman, or laborer who may be employed in the construction or repairing of any building or wharf, or in furnishing any materials for the same, may give to the owner or owners of the building or buildings or wharf on which he may have worked, or for the construction of which he may have furnished materials, notice in writing, particularly setting forth the amount of his claim, and the service rendered, for which his employer is indebted to him, and that he holds said owner or owners responsible for the same; and the owner is hereby made liable for the amount so claimed, if indebted to the employer to the amount; if not, then to the amount due from him to said employer at the time such notice was served.

§3. When any such contractor, journeyman, or laborer shall have given the notice prescribed in the preceding section, he shall present to his employer a copy of such notice for his endorsement. If such employer endorse thereon that the claim is correct, the owner or other person liable shall pay the same, if indebted to the employer in the amount; if not, then the amount due from him to said employer at the time the notice was served. If he fail, or refuse so to pay, such sub-contractor, journeyman, or laborer, shall, within thirty days after the service of the notice, commence an action in the proper court to enforce his lein. If, by the terms of the contract between the owner and the contractor, the money to be payable at some future day, such sub-contractor, journeyman, or laborer may file the copy of the notice, with the endorsement thereon, in the Recorder's office of the county in which the building or wharf is situated; and shall have thirty days after the money becomes due, in which to commence his action. If he fail to commence his action, as prescribed in this section, his lien shall be lost.

§4. If the employer fail or refuse to make the endorsement required by the preceding section, such sub-contractor, journeyman, or laborer shall lose his lien for the amount claimed, unless he shall, within thirty days after the service of the notice, commence an action in the proper court against his employer, to establish the amount of the claim. If he obtain judgment against his employer he shall lose his lien for the amount thereof, unless within thirty days thereafter, he shall commence an action against the owner for the amount established by the judgment, if the money be then due from the owner to the contractor; if not, then he shall file in the Recorder's office of the county in which the building or wharf is situated, a notice of said claim and judgment; and shall commence his action against the owner within thirty days after the money is due from the owner to the contractor.

§5. The owner or other person made liable, as aforesaid, for the amount admitted to be due, or established by judgment, may set off the same in any action brought against him by the contractor or person otherwise entitled to recover the same under the contractor.

§6. The land upon which any building shall be erected, together with the space around the same, not exceeding five hundred square feet, clear of the building, shall also be subject to the above lien, if the said land shall have been at the time of the erecting of the building, the property of the person or persons, corporation or association, contracting for the erection or repair of the same.

§7. Any person wishing to avail himself of the provisions of the first section of this Act, whether his claim be due or not, shall file in the Recorder's office of the county in which the building or wharf is situated, at any time before the expiration of sixty days after the completion of the building or repairs, notice of his intention to hold a lien upon the property declared by this Act liable to such lien, for the amount due, or to become due to him, specifically setting forth the amount claimed; upon his failure to do so, the lien shall be lost. The Recorder shall file and record such notice, and all other notices given under the third and fourth sections of this Act, in a book provided for the purpose.

§8. No such lien shall bind any building or wharf for a longer time than one year after the materials have been furnished, unless suit be brought in the proper court to enforce the same within that time, or if a credit be given, within one year from the expiration of the credit, but no lien shall be continued in force for a longer time than two years from the time the work is completed, or the materials furnished by any agreement to give credit.

§9. The lien for work or materials, given by this Act, shall be preferred to every other lien or incumbrance, which attached upon the property subsequent to the time at which the work was commenced or the materials were furnished.

§10. Any person who has received satisfaction for his debt, for which a claim has been filed, or action brought, where such claim was filed or such action brought.

§11. Any person failing or refusing to enter satisfaction when required so to do, by the preceding section, shall forfeit and pay to the party or parties aggrieved the sum fifty dollars for each day during which he shall so fail or refuse; to be recovered in the same manner as other debts are recovered.

§12. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to take away or affect in any manner any action which any such contractor, journeyman, or laborer would otherwise have against the owner of property on which work is performed, or for which materials are furnished.

§13. Any Mechanic or artisan who shall make, alter, or repair any article of personal property, at the request of the owner or legal possessor of such property, shall have a lien on such property so made, altered, or repaired, for his just and reasonable charges for his work done and materials furnished; and may hold and retain the possession of the same until such just and reasonable charges shall be paid; and if not paid for in the space of two months after the work shall have been done, such mechanic or artisan may proceed to sell the property by him so made, altered, or repaired, at public auction, by giving three weeks' public notice of such sale, by advertisement, in some newspaper published in the county in which the work may be done, or if there be no such newspaper, then by posting up notices of such sale in three of the most public places in the town where such work was done; and the proceeds of such sale shall be applied, first, to the discharge of such lien, and the costs and expenses of keeping and selling such property, and the remainder, if any, shall be paid over to the owner thereof.

§14. Nothing contained in this Act shall be deemed to apply to, or affect any lien heretofore acquired.

JOHN BIGLER,
Speaker of the Assembly.
JOHN McDOUGAL,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.
Approved, April 12, 1850.
PETER H. BURNETT.

Office of Secretary of State,
SAN JOSE, June 17th, 1850.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original Act now on file in this office.

WM: VAN VOORHIES, Secretary of State.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT.

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, State of California, for the County of San Francisco.

The people of the State of California to John Doe Chastelain and Richard Roe Ponvert, trading in the city and State of New York, under the firm and style of Chastelain and Ponvert, greeting:—You are hereby summoned to appear in the said District Court, for the county of San Francisco, on or before the 4th Monday of June, 1851, and answer the complaint of Francis Salmon and John S. Ellis, trading under the firm and style of Salmon & Ellis, filed with the Clerk of said Court, at his office in the city of San Francisco, in said State, on the 7th day of December, 1850, whereby the plaintiffs claim the sum of $5,160 06 balance in account current between plaintiffs and defendants in favor of plaintiffs.

Witness the Honorable Levi Parsons, Judge of said Court, at the Court House in the city of San Francisco, this 13th day of December, 1850.

JOHN E. ADDISON, Clerk.
By JAS. D. GALBRAITH, Dep'y Clerk.

In the District Court, 4th Judicial District, State of California, for the County of San Francisco—notice to defendants. John Doe Chastelain and Richard Roe Ponvert, trading under the firm and style of Chastelain & Ponvert. This is an action instituted the 7th day of December, 1850, by Francis Salmon and John S. Ellis, trading under the name and style of Salmon & Ellis, against said defendants for the sum of $5160.66 balance in account between plaintiffs and defendants in favor of plaintiffs. An attachment was issued, defendants being non-residents of this State, on the 7th day of December, 1850, returnable the 10th Dec., 1850, and together with the affidavit required by law, served upon J. J Chauviteau & Co., merchants in the city of San Francisco, by giving them copies of the said writ of attachment, and of said affidavit, on the 10th day of December, 1850. Said J. J. Chauviteau appearing in said Court on the 10th day of December, 1850, and acknowledging $2000 of the money of said defendants to be in his hands. $6000 thereof were paid into Court under an order thereof to abide the issue of said action.

Summons returnable on the 4th Monday of June, 1851, on or before which day said defendants must appear, or judgment will be rendered against them.

JNO E. ADDISON, Clerk.
By JAS. D. GALBRAITH, Dep'y Clerk.
JOHN H. SAUNDERS, Plff's Att'y   d16 6m lam

IN JUSTICE'S COURT.

BEFORE Brown, George W. Bushnell vs. M. Expert, M. Masurier, and his sons. SAME COURT—William B White vs. same defendants. To M. Expert, M. Masurier and his sons, defendants in the above causes:

Complaints in these two causes were filed in my office, San Francisco, California, by said Bushnell and White respectively, August 15th, 1850, against you, as owners of the bark Gustave for breach of your contract, made in May last, with said Bushnell and White, respectively, have been issued by me, returnable the 22d of August, 1850, and 16th, aforesaid, said bark, tackle, &c. was levied upon by virtue thereof. You are required to appear and answer said complaint, February 24th, 1851, at 10 o'clock, A. M. of that day, at my office.

H. S. BROWN,
Justice of the Peace.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Joseph Hicks, late of San Francisco, in the county of San Francisco, trader, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust, by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from this date; in default thereof, they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate are called upon to make immediate payment to

JOSEPH S. WALLIS, Executor,
Montgomery House, Montgomery street,
between California and Pine streets.
San Francisco, Dec. 9th, 1850.   d10 eod2m

REMOVAL.

C. LEIGHTON, First Premium Shirt Depot, has removed to Montgomery street, corner Summer street, near the Custom House.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA: The People of the State of California to Isidora de la Torre of Mazatlan, Mexico, Alexander Forbes, William Barron, and Eustaquio Barron, of Tepic, Mexico:

By order of the Hon. John H. Watson, Judge of the District Court of the county of Santa Clara, given on the 2d day of October, 1850, You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court on the Fourth Monday of April, A. D. 1851, to answer the complaint of M. Z. R. Berreyesa, Wo. of Jose Reyes, of Ma. C. Berreyesa, and her husband; Ler Pinedo of Loretto Berreyesa, and her husband; J. Bijorques, of S. Berreyesa, J. S. Berreyesa, N. Berreyesa, F. Berreyesa, Fer. Berreyesa, M. Berreyesa, and her husband; J. Fernandez, of W. R. Bassham, tutor of J. E. Berreyesa, and of Richard Roman, James Hepburn, and C. V. Stewart, against yourselves and James A. Forbes, Robert Walkenshaw, and John Parrott, filed in the Clerk's Office of said court at San Jose, on the 5th day of October, 1850, by the said plaintiffs, to recover from you the possession of a certain tract of land; being a portion of the Rancho de la Canada de los Capitancillos, alias San Vicente, and bounded and described as follows, viz: All the western portion of said rancho lying between the rancho de las Capitancillas, belonging to William Wiggins, and the arroyo de los Almaitos, with a tract lying east of and along said arroyo, of half a mile in width, and running to the Sierra, which land, and more especially the Mine, Hacienda, and appurtenances of New Almaden, thereon situate, the said plaintiffs claim as their property, and that you unlawfully retain possession thereof since the first day of February, 1845 Wherefore they pray to have you ejected from the same, and to recover from you seven hundred thousand dollars, as the rents and profits thereof since the said 1st day of February, 1845, and also three hundred thousand dollars damages for the trespasses and wrongs by you committed thereon. And you are notified that unless you appear and answer said complaint at the time and place mentioned, that the same will be heard upon default and a decree entered accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of office yet provided at this office, this 17th day of October, 1850.
[L.S.]   H. C. MALONE, Clerk.
Weller & Jones, for plaintiffs.   o21 6m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION issued out of the Superior Court, within and for the City of San Francisco, County of San Francisco and State of California, duly tested and dated December 28th, A.D. 1850, in the case of William Taafe *et. al.* against William H. Foley, wherein a judgment was rendered in favor of said plaintiffs in the sum of three hundred and two 13-100 dollars, and thirty 50-100 costs, actually accrued, and said execution being to me directed and levied on the day aforesaid, on all the right, title, interest, claim and demand of the said Foley, of, in, and to that certain building situate on the west side of Portsmouth Square, and north of Clay street, and south of Washington street, known as Foley's Circus, and the interest of said Foley in the lease of the lot on which said building is erected, Now know ye, that on MONDAY, the 27th day of January next, A.D. 1851, at the hour of 11 o'clock. A.M. of said day, in front of the Court House door, in said County, I shall expose to sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the above interest in the aforesaid property. San Francisco, Dec. 29, 1850.

JOHN C. HAYS, Sheriff,
By JOHN S. POWERS, D'y Shff.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, County of San Francisco, and State of California, in the case of Palmer, Cook & Co. against John Hawley, duly attested, and dated Dec. 3d, A. D. 1850, wherein a judgment was rendered against the said Hawley, in the sum of four thousand four hundred and four 20-100 dollars, besides fifty-two 50-100 dollars costs of suit actually accrued, besides the accruing costs, and the said execution being to me directed and by me received on the said 3d day of December, as aforesaid, and by me levied on the right, title, interest, claim and demand of John Hawley, on the said 3d day of December, at the hour of 3 o'clock P. M. thereof, of, in and to that certain lot or parcel of land lying and being in the City of San Francisco, State of California, commencing on Washington street at the west line of lot No. 31, running thence northerly along the said west line of lot 31 seventy feet and two inches more or less to the south line of lot owned by R. Ross and others; thence easterly along said line forty-two feet and eleven inches, more or less, to a point parallel with west line of lot formerly owned by R. & S. Haley; thence southerly parallel with the first mentioned line seventy feet and two inches, more or less, to Washington street; thence westerly on Washington street forty-two feet and eleven inches to the place of beginning. Now know ye, that on WEDNESDAY, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M. of said day, February 5th, 1851, in front of the court house door, corner Clay and Kearny street, I shall expose the interest aforesaid for sale to the highest for cash.

JNO. C. HAYS, Sheriff.
By JOHN S. POWERS, Deputy.
San Francisco, Jan. 15, 1851.   jan16.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the Superior Court in and for the city of San Francisco, county of San Francisco and State of California, duly attested, and dated Jan. 11th, A.D, 1851, in the case of John K. Hackett and Chas. D. Judah, *vs.* Moses P. Lock, wherein a judgment was rendered for the sum of one thousand and fifty dollars, and the farther sum of nineteen dollars, costs actually accrued, besides the accruing costs; and the said execution being to me directed, and by authority of which I have, on the day and year aforesaid, levied on the brig Leverett, her apparel, furniture and tackle, as the same now lays moored in the harbor of San Francisco; now know ye, that on MONDAY, the 27th inst, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A.M. of said day, in front of the Court House door, corner of Clay and Kearny streets, I will expose to sale to the highest bidder for cash, the aforesaid brig, &c.
San Francisco Jan. 13, 1850.

JOHN C. HAYS, Sheriff,
By JOHN S. POWERS, Dep'y.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the District Court, third Judicial District, county of Santa Clara, and State of California, duly attested, and dated Dec. 30th. A. D., 1850, in the case of William R. Bassham against James D. Curt, the same being the foreclosure of a mortgage dated October 21st, 1850, wherein a judment was rendered in the sum of eleven hundred and eighty-three dollars and fifty cents, together with the interest at the rate of eight per cent per month from the 21st day of October aforesaid until paid, and the said execution by me received, and to me directed, and levied on the 6th day of Jan. A. D., 1851, on the one undivided half of those two certain lots known on the map of San Francisco, as No. 527 and No. 536, being fifty vara square each. The first lot, No. 527, being situate in said city, on the north side of Lombard street, and between Dupont and Stockton streets. The second lot, No. 536, being situate in said city, on the south side of Chesnut street and between Stockton and Dupont streets; being the two centre lots of the block or square, being 50 varas in front on Lombard and Chesnut streets, and one hundred varas in depth. Now know ye, that on THURSDAY, the 6th day of February, A.D. 1851, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door, corner of Clay and Kearny street. I will sell the interest aforesaid to the highest bidder for cash.

JNO. C. HAYS, Sheriff.
By JNO. S. POWERS, Deputy.
San Francisco, Jan 17, 1851.   jan18 3awts

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, county of San Francisco, and State of California, wherein a judgment was rendered by said court in favor of Elihu Anthony against Charles Harvey, for the sum of twelve hundred and ninety-four dollars, and also eighteen dollars costs of suit, and decree of foreclosure and sale, to satisfy said judgment and costs, and said execution being duly tested, and dated Jan. 13, 1851, and to me directed, and received on the 17th day of the month aforesaid and levied, on the same day on the following described property, to wit: all that certain parcel of land situate in the city of San Francisco and State aforesaid, being a part of lot numbered four hundred and thirty (430) on the plan of said city, as follows—beginning at a point on the westerly side of Powell street, distant eighty-two feet and six inches southerly from the intersection of Powell and Filbert streets, thence running westerly at right angles and parallel to Filbert street eighty-seven feet and six inches; thence running southerly and at right angles, twenty five feet; thence running easterly at right angles eighty-seven feet six inches to the aforesaid line of Powell street, and thence northerly along said line of Powell street twenty-five feet to the place of beginning—or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment. Now know ye, that on THURSDAY, the 6th day of February next, at the hour of 11 o'clock of said day, in front of the court house door, corner of Clay and Kearny streets, I will sell said property to the highest bidder for cash.

JNO. C. HAYS, Sheriff.
By JNO. S. POWERS, Deputy.
San Francisco, Jan. 17, 1851.   jan18 3awts

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, in and for the county of San Francisco and State of California, duly tested and dated December 31, 1850, in the case of Palmer, Cook & Co., wherein a judgment was recovered in their favor in the court aforesaid, on the 16th day of November, and year aforesaid, against John Hawley, in the sum of four thousand four hundred 20-100 dollars, and forty-nine 50-100 dollars costs actually accrued, together with the accruing costs; and the said execution being to me directed and received, December 31, as aforesaid, and on the same day levied on the right, title, interest, claim and demand of John Hawley of, in and to that certain lot or parcel of land lying and being in the city of San Francisco, county and state aforesaid, to wit, commencing on Washington street, at the west line of lot No. 31, running thence northerly along the said west line of lot No. 31 seventy feet (70) and two inches, more or less, to the south line of a lot owned by R. Ross, et als.; thence easterly along said line of last named lot forty-two (42) feet and eleven inches, more or less, to a point parallel with the west line formerly owned by R. and L. Haley; thence southerly parallel with first mentioned line seventy feet (70) and two inches, more or less, to Washington street; thence westerly along Washington street forty-two feet (42) and eleven inches, more or less, to the point of beginning. Now know ye, that on SATURDAY, the 15th day of February next, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door, corner Clay and Kearny street, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the said interest in the aforesaid property.

JNO. C. HAYS, Sheriff.
By JNO. S. POWERS, Deputy.
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